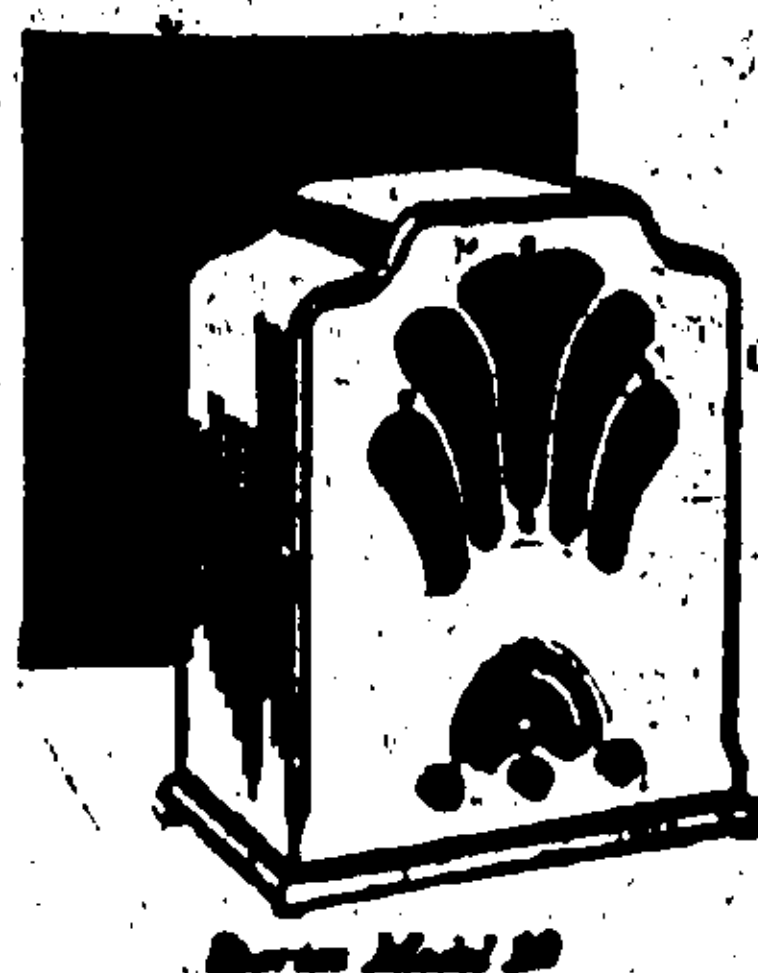




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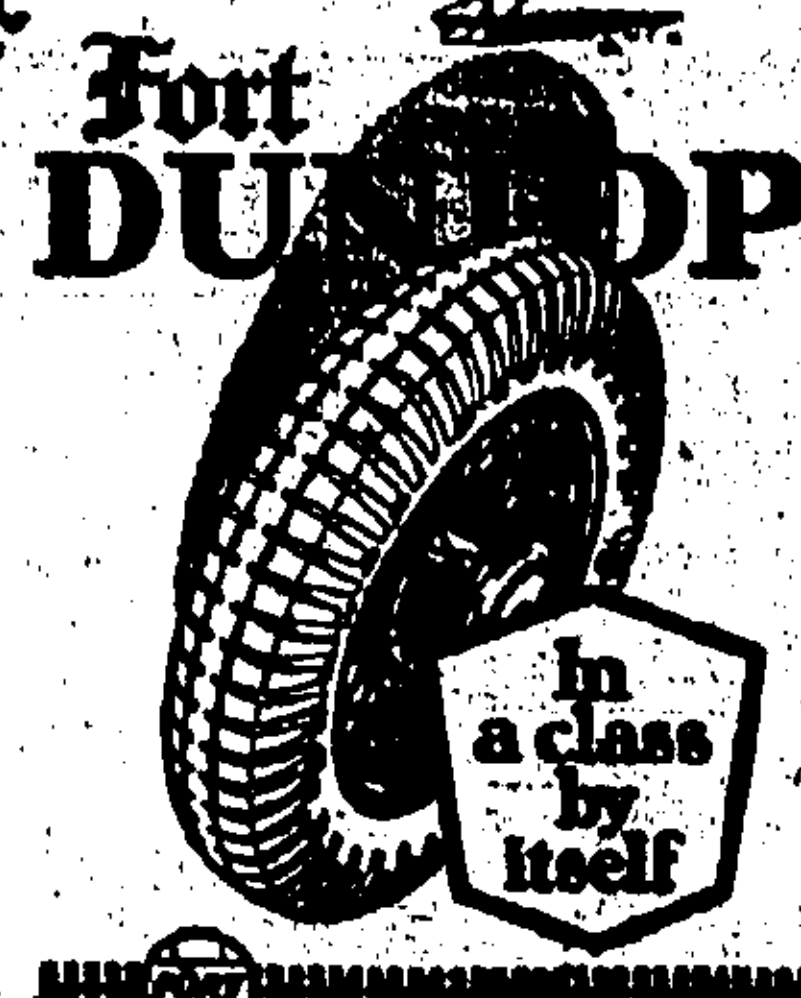
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KING AND QUEEN AT ASCOT.

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ASCOT STAKES WITNESSES THRILLING DEAD-HEAT.

Roi de Paris Beaten.

London, Yesterday. Glorious and cloudless weather to-day favoured the opening of the Ascot meeting which is one of the leading social and sporting events of the season.

Their Majesties the King and Queen, together with members of the Royal Family, followed their usual custom of driving along the course to the Royal Box in open carriages drawn by four horses. The lawns and paddocks were crowded, and their Majesties were given a tumultuous reception by the huge crowd.

The course was in splendid condition and entries were exceptionally large. The principal race of the day, the Ascot Stakes, resulted in a dead heat between Son of Mint and Sand Lashes with Roi de Paris third in a field of 24. — British Wireless Service.

MIRACLE BEATEN BY LENGTH AND A HALF.

London, Yesterday. The Ascot Stakes over Two Miles at Ascot witnessed a thrilling duel for supremacy between Sandy Lashes (100-8) and Son of Mint (100-6) and in a magnificent finish these two horses dead-heated. Roi de Paris (5-1) came third four lengths behind the winners in a field of twenty-four. The stakes were divided.

Coventry Stakes. Manitoba (13-8) secured a narrow victory over Lover's Walk (100-6) in the Coventry Stakes over six furlongs. Manitoba won by three-quarters of a length from a field of twelve, Lover's Walk beating Solar Boy (3-1), which was third, by two lengths. Gold Vase.

Over Two Miles at Ascot today Silvermere (100-8) won a thrilling race for the Gold Vase when it beat Fox Hunter (6-1) by a head. Tajkara (6-1) was third, being a head behind Fox Hunter in a field of eleven.

Prince of Wales Stakes. Sigiri (7-1) gained an unexpected win in the Prince of Wales Stakes to-day when it defeated Miracle (4-7) by a length and a half in a field of five. Beau Frere (100-8) came in third four lengths behind Miracle. — Reuter.

SOLDIERS MISSING.

Lance-Corporal G. H. Bailey and Lance-Corporal J. H. Fuge, both of the South Wales Borderers, have been missing from barracks since Sunday, according to a Police report.

ARMS CONFERENCE WORK ADJOURNED.

Suspension During Present Conference.

London, Yesterday. At a private meeting of the Disarmament Conference Procedure Committee to-day a resolution was adopted the effect of which is to suspend the main work of the Conference until the conclusion of the discussions now taking place between the representatives of the big Powers. — British Wireless Service.

JACK HOBBS CREATES NEW RECORD

ALL-INDIA XI SCORE 493 AGAINST LANCASHIRE

SOMERSET BEAT NOTTS

MIDDLESEX WIN SECURES LEAD IN CHAMPIONSHIP.

London, Yesterday. Sensational cricket was the feature of the week-end programme which concluded to-day. Jack Hobbs created a new cricket record, the All-India XI scored 493 against Lancashire in a drawn game, and Somerset registered their second victory of the season in a thrilling finish against Notts at Taunton.

By scoring 113 and 119 not out against Essex at the Oval, Jack Hobbs accomplished the feat of scoring two separate centuries in a match for the sixth time in his career and thus broke the 1911 record of C. B. Fry, the Sussex and All-England amateur, who had accomplished the feat on five occasions.

The most thrilling finish of the season was witnessed at Taunton where Notts were set 220 runs for victory. With the last man in and 14 runs required for victory Somerset gained a meritorious win over one of the strongest batting sides in the North.

Philip Mead made a welcome return to form and aided by Arnold was able to give Hampshire their fourth victory of the season. Warwickshire defeated Northamptonshire by seven wickets whilst Surrey, thanks to Hobbs and Gregory, easily overcame Essex. Middlesex beat Worcestershire at Lord's to take the lead in the Championship.

(Comment and Results on Page 4.)

HARBIN OUT OF DANGER.

Japanese Claim After Successes.

RAIDS BY ANTI-MANCHUKUO TROOPS.

Harbin, To-day. Several skirmishes have occurred in the past few days, when raiding parties of anti-Manchukuo troops carried out lightning attacks against Manchukuo and Japanese outposts to the south of Harbin.

With the recent defeat of the anti-Manchukuo forces, the Japanese military authorities declare that Harbin is in no danger of occupation.

Traffic between Harbin and Fuchien is suspended nightly from 1.00 till 7.00.

The Manchukuo Army has stopped recruiting, so as to prevent unreliable and undesirable elements from joining the colours, as several units have recently deserted. — Reuter.

NEW CURRENCY FOR MANCHUKUO.

Silver As Basis of Yen.

Changchun, Yesterday. The new Currency Act of the Manchukuo "Government" are now completed and are expected to be announced shortly.

It is stated that the Manchukuo currency will be called the "Yen," and will be the equivalent of 23.91 grammes of solid silver, with a minimum of thirty per cent. reserve against the total paper-money issue. The reserve will consist of silver and gold bullion and foreign currency.

It is reported that the Central Bank, in which are merged all the former provincial banks, will be capitalised by Y.80,000,000, and will have a Chinese President and a Japanese Vice-President. — Reuter.

MANCHUKUO CUSTOMS.

Destination of the Revenue.

NO JAPANESE INTERFERENCE.

Discussion in Commons.

London, Yesterday.

Asked the position in regard to the customs administration in Manchuria requested to state and whether the British Government would make representations to the Japanese Government that all the revenues should be regarded as definitely allocated to the Chinese Government. Captain Anthony Eden, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said that present conditions in Manchuria necessarily created a difficult and anomalous situation in regard to customs administration.

His latest information was, he said, that until now the new authorities there had not interfered with the administration itself, although there was a difficulty in remitting the surplus customs revenue collected in Manchurian ports to Shanghai. Under the circumstances, he said, it hardly seemed desirable to make the suggested representations. — Reuter.

"BONUS" BILL SUPPORTER DIES.

Collapse in House of Representatives.

MR. EDWARD E. ESICK.

Washington, To-day. Mr. Edward E. Eslick, collapsed and died in the House of Representatives, whilst speaking on behalf of the Bill for the immediate payment of the War Veterans' bonus certificate. The House was adjourned. — Reuter's American Service.

H.M.S. DURBAN FOR CHILE.

To Protect British Interests.

POLITICAL DISTURBANCES FEARED.

Cruiser Nears Peru.

London, To-day.

H.M.S. Durban, attached to the South American Division of the West Indies Squadron, is proceeding towards Callao Peru in readiness to protect British interests in Chile. — Reuter.

Yesterday it was announced by R. A. Eden, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, that adequate protection would be afforded to British residents in Chile in the result of any disturbances following the change in Government that has occurred there.

The Durban is a cruiser of the Devonshire class and is of 4,850 tons displacement. She is commanded by Captain R. H. O. Lane-Poole.

London, Later.

The British cruiser Durban, attached to the South American Division of the America and West Indies Squadron and the flying boat, Pennant commanded by Commodore Lane Poole, are proceeding to Callao, Peru, in order to be ready in case of need for protection of British interests in Chile. — British Wireless Service.

LEAGUE INTERVENE IN SIBERIA.

To Restore Order.

London, To-day.

Dr. Mackenzie of the League of Nations' Secretariat has been appointed Commissioner to inquire into the disturbance among Kru Tribesmen in Liberia and to endeavour to restore order. He leaves London to-morrow for Monrovia. — British Wireless Service.

INFORMAL TALKS AT GENEVA.

British and French Premiers Consult.

London, Yesterday.

Statemen in Geneva spent to-day mainly in informal conversations. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and Sir John Simon were the luncheon guests of Mr. Hugh Gibson, the Chief United States delegate to the Disarmament Conference, and in the afternoon conferred with Signor D. Grandi, Italian Foreign Minister.

The British and French Premiers also had long conversation this morning. — British Wireless Service.

DE VALERA WILL ATTEND AT OTTAWA.

Irish Delegation Selected.

London, Yesterday.

Arrangements completed to-day for the representation of the Irish Free State at the Ottawa Conference provided that President De Valera will head the delegation, accompanied by Mr. Lemass, Minister of Industry and Commerce, Mr. Ryan, Minister of Lands and Fisheries, and probably Senator Connolly and Senator Johnson. — British Wireless Service.

SEEDED PLAYERS FOR WIMBLEDON

AUSTIN AND PERRY IN DIFFERENT HALVES

CRAWFORD MAY PROVE OBSTACLE

GREAT HOPES HARBOURED FOR AN ALL-BRITISH FINAL.

London, Yesterday.

The publication of the names of the seeded players for the Men's Singles Championship at Wimbledon has caused a stir in lawn tennis circles. The Wimbledon ranking is as follows: 1. Henri Cochet (France), 2. Ellsworth Vines (U.S.A.), 3. Frank Shields (U.S.A.), 4. Fred Perry (Britain), 5. Sidney Wood (U.S.A. and holder), 6. Bunny Austin (Britain), 7. Jean Borotra (France), 8. Jack Crawford (Australia).

In spite of the affront on the standard of British lawn tennis great optimism is being maintained in Britain. Fred Perry and Bunny Austin are in different halves of the draw, but Perry, Britain's leading player, is in the same half as the redoubtable Henri Cochet. Had he been opposed to Vines, British optimism would have been even higher.

The Wimbledon ranking has given Shields a flattering position on account of his being runner-up last year, whilst Wood's position is solely due to his being last year's champion, though he secured his title on a walk-over. Rene Lacoste is not mentioned among the seeded players as it was thought highly improbable that he would enter this year after his defeat by Sidney Wood in the French Championships at Auteuil. Crawford, though placed No. 8 will, if he finds his true form, prove a definite menace to Cochet in his first stiff encounter. Crawford nearly defeated Ellsworth Vines, Wimbledon's No. 2, in their epic Davis Cup match, and would probably have done so had not rain interrupted the day's play. He is the third British "musketier."

In the Ladies' Singles Championship American representation is evenly distributed. Mrs. Wills-Moody, who is attempting to wrest from Fraulein Cécile Aussem the title she did not defend last year, heads the list, whilst Helen Jacobs heads the lower half of the draw in No. 5 position.

In the Men's Doubles Wilbur Allison and John Van Ryn, the holders, are given pride of place, whilst Ellsworth Vines and Mrs. Wills-Moody occupy the leading position in the Mixed Doubles Championship.

In the Ladies' Doubles Championship, the British holders, Mrs. Shepherd Barron and Miss Phyllis Mudford, are expected to give place to Miss Betty Nuthall and Mrs. Fearnley Whittingstall (Eileen Bennett), the holders of the American Championship title. — Reuter.

MOSQUITO BREEDING.

G. C. H. Sisters Lay Complaints.

CONTRACTOR FINED \$25.

Complaints in regard to mosquito breeding, received by the Sanitary Department, from the Sisters Quarters at the Government Civil Hospital, led to the appearance of Pang Yu Ting, of the Hang Sun firm of contractors, before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning, summoned at the instigation of Inspectors Sullivan, of the Sanitary Department.

Insp. Sullivan said that on receipt of complaints he visited the building, under construction in Bonham Road, on May 19, and found mosquitoes breeding in the sink. A legal notice was served on May 28 and which expired on May 29. He re-visited the premises on May 31 and took a sample of the larvae.

His Worship imposed a fine of \$25.

EXPENSE FOR GOVERNMENT.

Demolition of Pig Sties.

"Expensive job for the Government to go down there every month and pull these places down" remarked Mr. R. E. Stott, of the P.W.D., in the Central Police Court this morning, when a male, Chan Siu, was summoned for keeping pigs on Crown land, on the hillside at Wong Nei Chung, Happy Valley.

Mr. Stott stated that the pig-sty structures were very fragile. The Magistrate (Mr. Schofield) imposed a fine of \$5 but reduced it to \$2, when the defendant stated he could only raise the latter sum.

APPOINT COMMISSIONER TO SOMALILAND.

Given New Title.

London, Yesterday.

H.M. the King approved of the Officer appointed to succeed Sir Harold Kit master in administration of the British Somaliland Protectorate being designated the Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief of the Protectorate.

His Majesty also approved of the appointment to this post of Major A. S. Lawrence, Secretary to the Government of British Somaliland, who will assume the Commission on June 18. — British Wireless Service.

FULL WATER SUPPLY

Restrictions Removed To-day.

DANGER PAST

RESULT OF HEAVY RAINFALLS.

New Group Fountain Supply to be Withdrawn

Full supply of water will be available in Hong Kong at 4 p.m. to-day.

The withdrawal of all restriction was decided upon at a conference of P.W.D. officials held this morning, in view of yesterday's abnormal rainfall. It is hoped to withdraw the supply through the new group fountains within a few days.

The seven-hour water supply was brought into operation yesterday at 4 p.m. and it was then decided that further rainfall would be followed by further lightening of the restrictions.

For the 24 hours ending 10.30 a.m. this morning, 6.42 inches of rainfall was registered at the Royal Observatory, bringing the total for the year to 13.92, which exceeds the average rainfall by almost an inch.

A further 0.89 inches fell between 10.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. this morning.

The notice from the Hon. D.P.W. states:—

As from 4 p.m. to-day, 15th June, there will be a full (24 hours) supply of water throughout the Colony.

The supply through the new group of fountains will be gradually withdrawn.

Storage Figures. The total water storage in the Colony's reservoirs now amounts to 1,376.34 million gallons, made up as follows:—

Hong Kong	1,029.20 million
Kowloon	347.14 million

These figures are the storage amounts at 7 a.m. this morning.

REDUCTION IN INDIA'S DEBT.

\$3,604,000 Repaid To-day.

PROMPT PAYMENT.

London, Yesterday.

The Secretary for India will repay to-morrow, the earliest possible redemption date, the outstanding balance of \$3,604,000 of the India 6 per cent bonds 1922-28, issued for February, 1920.

The total amount of the issue was \$8,000,000 which has been reduced to the above figure by independent operations. The outstanding balance of \$11,218,428 of the India 5½ per cent loan of 1922, of which the original amount was \$22,500,000, was repaid last January.

The recent issue of India sterling stock was for \$10,000,000 nominal. Thus after allowing for this operation the effect of repayment of these two loans is to reduce by a very large amount the outstanding total of the Indian debt in Britain. — British Wireless Service.

IMPROVING LATER.

To-day's weather report from the Royal Observatory states:—

Pressure remains highest to the East of Hokkaido, but has decreased considerably. The depression over S. China continues to decrease in intensity. Forecast: S.W. winds moderate, slightly rainy, probably improving.

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ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

OFFICIAL SOURCES.

"ARROWSMITH."

"Arrowsmith," Samuel Goldwyn's
picturisation of Sinclair Lewis's
novel, starring Ronald Colman
which comes to the Central Theatre
to-day, records the thrilling, tragic
story of what fearless scientists
have done to stamp out the great
plagues which have always been the
worst enemies of mankind. In the
role of its crusading doctor-hero,
Ronald Colman goes down to a savage
island in the West Indies to risk
his life against bubonic plague, the
historic Black Death, in hopes of
proving that he has discovered its
cure.

The novel of Arrowsmith acknow-
ledged to be Sinclair Lewis's master-
piece, is of course fiction. But
neither the ravages of the black
death nor the perils of the men who
have sought to stamp out such
scourges are fictitious.

Nowadays the civilized world pays
little attention to bubonic plague
because it is no longer a threat.
But until a few years ago it was
not even known that it was rats
which travelling from one continent
to another on ships carried the ter-
rible disease from its breeding
places in the East to Europe and
America. Time and again, both in
medieval and modern times, the
Black Death came out of the East
and exterminated whole cities and
countries.

In the fourteenth century it killed
half the population of England. In
the 17th century, it killed 70,000
people in London alone. New
Orleans and San Francisco have
both had frightful epidemics of it
in recent times and it is said to
have killed six million people in
India between 1896 to 1907. And
it is only through the fearless in-
vestigations of men like Mr.
Lewis's Dr. Arrowsmith that the
plague has finally been removed as
a constant menace to the civilized
world.

When Congress recently awarded
a medal to the last survivor of Dr.
Walter Reed's yellow fever expedi-
tion in Havana in 1898, the world
was again reminded of how gallant-
ly scientists have faced death for
the general good.

"POSSESSED"

Film-goers who viewed "Possessed"
on a four day's run at the
Queen's Theatre were no little sur-
prised to find Joan Crawford fill-
ing a role to perfection which might
have been designed for Greta Garbo.
For, in her newest production,
Miss Crawford, who is known from
one end of the country to the other
as the ideal example of modern
youth, proves that she is well able
to handle a characterisation of
greater dramatic strength than the
portrayal of the "whoops" girl
who wants her fling at life.

It is obvious that this role is full
of acting opportunities of which it
may be said that the attractive Miss
Crawford takes full advantage.
This is undoubtedly her best and
most forceful characterisation since
her splendid portrayal in "Paid."
Clark Gable as the politician who
makes things so difficult for Miss
Crawford, clinches his hold on the
title of the most interesting lead-
ing man on the current screen. Ex-
cellent work is also done by Wallace

Ford, a screen newcomer, and by
Skeets Gallagher, who can always
be depended on for an entertain-
ing comedy impersonation.

Clarence Brown does a finely re-
strained job of direction.
Those who enjoyed Miss Craw-
ford's singing in "Dance, Fools
Dance" and "Laughing Sinners"
will be pleased to know that the
star again introduces a catchy song
in her new vehicle. It is called
"How Long Will It Last?"

"SHE'S MY WEAKNESS"

Into the movies to save the family
honour, tells the story of one of
the most popular juvenile actors
of to-day, Arthur Lake, appearing
at the Queen's Theatre to-morrow.
In "She's My Weakness," a Radio
Pictures' all-talking comedy drama.
When Arthur was fourteen he had
a grudge against the movies, and
for a very good reason. His sister,
Florence, had the movie "bug".
Brothers never agree with sisters.
Florence was working on the uni-
versal "lot". She promised a direc-
tor that Arthur would show up for
a test. And Arthur, born in Ken-
tucky, had to make good his sister's
word.

"THE MIRACLE MAN"

Film Daily, the well-known
magazine for the motion picture
trade, in its poll of the newspapers
in 1932, managed to assemble a sym-
posium of opinions from a total of
340 of the nation's critics.

The assemblage sat, in the place
of places, Sing Sing Prison, New
York State's famous penal institu-
tion. A reporter found the con-
sensus to be that "The Miracle
Man" was the best picture they had
ever seen.

This picture, upon whose suc-
cess was founded the world
prestige of three heretofore
little-known personalities, Thomas
Meighan, Betty Compson and
Lon Chaney showing at the
King's Theatre to-day, in its
talkie form, with Chester Morris,
Sylvia Sydney and John Wray
playing the parts which brought
immortal fame to their pre-
decessors and with Irving Pichel,
Robert Coogan and Hobart Bos-
worth in the other memorable parts
of this screenland classic.

"GOOD SPORT"

A gambler who never bet a nickel
seems like a contradiction in
terms, yet it perfectly describes
John Boles, the screen celebrity who
plays the male lead opposite the
delectable Linda Watkins in "Good
Sport" which opens to-morrow at
the King's Theatre.

Boles has never gambled in the
usual sense; his stakes, instead of
money, have been the more valuable
ones of his career and his future—
and he has always won. Trained
for the medical profession, he gam-
bled on the judgment of a famous
concert singer and tossed away his
doctor's education for a musical
one-taking a chance that resulted
very happily.

His screen career began with
Gloria Swanson in "Love of Sunya",
and which subsequently brought
him on enviable film popularity.
In "Good Sport", he portrays the
part of a wealthy but woman-shy
millionaire. Miss Watkins enacts
the role of a trusting but abandon-
ed wife, who starts out to discover
why men leave loving wives for
other women. The supporting cast
includes Greta Nissen, Hedda
Hopper, Minna Gombell and Allan
Dinehart. Kenneth MacKenna
directed this production for Fox
Film.

WATER RETURN.

All Reservoirs Below Overflow.

The level and storage of water in
the reservoirs on June 1, 1932, were
as under:

City and Hill District	1931	1932
Tydam	25' 8" B	38' 0" B
Tydam Byewash	24' 4" B	25' 4" B
Tydam Intermediate	8' 8" B	50' 3" B
Tydam Tuk	33' 8" B	63' 6" B
Wong Nei Chung	17' 5" B	29' 8" B
Pokfulum	8' 11" B	25' 11" B
Aberdeen Upper	—	51' 1" B
Aberdeen Lower	—	—

[Note: B. denotes "Below Over-
flow"; A. denotes "Above Overflow";
L. denotes "Level with Overflow."]
Storage in millions and decimals
of gallons.

	1931	1932
Tydam	200.74	135.30
Tydam Byewash	.98	.62
Tydam Intermediate	150.34	21.74
Tydam Tuk	727.68	316.43
Wong Nei Chung	11.84	4.39
Pokfulum	46.58	13.84
Aberdeen Upper	—	21.53
Aberdeen Lower	—	—

Total

Consumption of water in the City
and Hill District in millions and de-
cimals of gallons during the month
of May, 1932.

	1931	1932
Consumption	341.52	211.78
Estimated population	410,950	358,000
Consumption per head per day	25.8	17.8

* Includes 95.03 million gallons from
Mainland.

May, 1931.—Constant supply
throughout the City, Hill and High
Level Districts during the whole
month.

May, 1932.—From 1st to 6th a con-
stant street fountain supply was
operated in all Rider Main Districts.
From 7th to 10th a 14 hours supply
(6 a.m.-8 p.m.) was given to all Rider
Main Districts. From 11th to 26th
a 7 hours supply (6 a.m.-10 a.m. and
4 p.m.-7 p.m.) was given to all Rider
Main Districts. From 27th to 31st a
3 hours supply (7 a.m.-8:30 a.m. and
4:30 p.m.-6 p.m.) was given on the old
street fountains and an 11 hours
supply (7 a.m.-6 p.m.) on the new
street fountains in all Rider Main Dis-
tricts except Eastern District from
Arsenal Street to Shaikwan where
the 7 hours supply (6 a.m.-10 a.m. and
4 p.m.-7 p.m.) was continued till
the end of the month as the new foun-
tains were not ready.

May, 1931.—Constant supply in all
Districts during May, 1931.

May, 1932.—Constant supply in all
Districts from 1st to 6th. From 7th
to 10th a 14 hours supply was given
to all Districts. From 11th to 31st a
8 hours supply (6 a.m.-10 a.m. and
4 p.m.-7 p.m.) was given to all Dis-
tricts.

	1931	1932
Kowloon Main	11' 9" B	48' 4" B
Kowloon Byewash	—	42' 4" B
Shing Mun Reservoir	—	24' 11" B
Shing Mun Reception Tion	1' 7" B	710" B

Storage in millions and decimals
of gallons.

	1931	1932
Kowloon Main	241.10	31.16
Kowloon Byewash	—	55.00
Shing Mun Reservoir	116.10	35.39
Shing Mun Reception tion	28.97	14.31

Total

Consumption of water in Kowloon
in millions and decimals of gallons
during the month of May, 1932.

	1931	1932
Consumption	159.49	145.43
Estimated population	288,150	299,960
Consumption per head per day	18.0	15.4

The reports of the Government Bac-
teriologist and Analyst show that the
quality of the water is satisfactory.
Total rainfall recorded by Royal
Observatory from January 1 to
May 31, 1931, 24.98; from January 1
to May 31, 1932, 10.945.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING TRAGEDY.

Munich, May 16.

Seven persons were killed and
several were injured in the
Bavarian-Tyrol Alps during
Whitman-tide while attempting
perilous climbs. Those killed in-
clude the well known Alpinist,
Toni Schmid, who last year achieved
a record by scaling for the first
time the northern slope of the
formidable Matterhorn. Those
killed also included a ten-year-old
boy.

RADIO.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will
be broadcast to-day from the Hong
Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W.
on a wavelength of 355 metres
(845 K.C.s):—

5-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
6-6:30 p.m.—Children's Concert.
7-10:30 p.m.—European Pro-
gramme.

7-9 p.m.—A Programme of Vic-
tor Records kindly supplied by the
Tsang Fook Piano Co.

7:03-7:27 p.m.—Concert Waltzes.
Blue Danube (Strauss),
Wedding Dance (Lincke),
International Concert Orch.
(35927).

Vienna Blood (Strauss),
Voices of Spring (Strauss),
Boston Symphony Orchestra
directed by Serge
Koussevitzky (6003).

My Hero Medley (From "The Choco-
late Soldier"—O. Strauss),
Unrequited Love (Lincke),
International Orchestra
(35099).

7:27-7:45 p.m.—Vocal Gems.
Blossom Time (Schubert-Berte),
The Yankee Princess
(De Sylva-Kalman),
Victor Light Opera Co.
(35722).

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Violin Solo—
Gypsy Caprice (Kreisler),
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Fritz Kreisler (8712).

Piano Solo—
Spring Song (Mendelssohn),
Murmuring Zephyr
(Jensen-Nielsen),
Rudolph Ganz (1508).

Violoncello Solo—
Gavotte Tendre (Hillemacher),
Menuet (Debussy),
Pablo Casals (1191).

Violin Solo—
Melodie Arabe
(Glazounow-Kochanski),
Sicilienne and Rigaudon
(Francoeur-Kreisler),
Sadah Shuchari (4114).

Piano Solo—
Invitation to the Waltz (Weber),
Alfred Cortot (1201).

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Orchestra—
Fawn Waltz,
Autumn Thoughts,
Kiriloff's Balalaika Orchestra
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Song—
Kentucky Babe,
Mighty Lak' a Rose,
Vaughn De Leath (Soprano)
(20864).

Organ Solo—
Barcelona,
Hello, Aloha! How Are You?
Jesse Crawford (20265).

Song—
Where Can You Be,
You May Not Like It,
Jack Smith (Whispering
Baritone) (22443).

Duet for Two Pianos—
Dance of the Paper Dolls,
Ragamuffin,
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Chorus—
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Programme.

1.—Song—
(a) O Lovely Night
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(b) A Blackbird Singing
(Michael Head),
Mrs. E. Snowden Jones
(Soprano) accompanied by
Mr. F. Mason.

2.—Song—
Down Vaughall Way,
Mr. A. Hyde Lyle (Baritone)
accompanied by Mrs.
A. Hyde Lyle.

3.—Pianoforte Solos—Selection,
Nura Ruhroff.

4.—Song—
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5.—Violin Solos—
(a) Romance (T. Svendsen),
(b) Playra—Spanish Dance
(P. Sarasate),
Mr. V. Derenovsky
accompanied by Miss Luba
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6.—Song—
(a) Gathering Daffodils
(Somerville),
(b) The Kerry Dance (Molloy),
Mrs. E. Snowden Jones
(Soprano) accompanied by
Mr. F. Mason.

7.—Song—
Love Could I Only Tell Thee,
Mr. A. Hyde Lyle (Baritone)
accompanied by Mrs.
A. Hyde Lyle.

(This Number is by special request.)
8.—Pianoforte Solos—Selection,
Nura Ruhroff.

9.—Song—
O Peaceful England
(Edward German),
Mrs. N. Mathieson
(Contralto) accompanied by
Mr. F. Mason.

10.—Violin Solo—
Czardas (Monti),
Mr. V. Derenovsky
accompanied by Miss Luba
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CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

Jack Hobbs Creates New Record

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Jack Hobbs to-day added a new record to his already over-flowing list when he scored two separate centuries in the match against Essex at the Oval. This was the sixth time in his career that he had accomplished this feat, his record reading as follows:—

160 and 100 Surrey v. Warwick in 1909.
104 and 143* Surrey v. Cambridge U. in 1925.
101 and 101* Surrey v. Somerset in 1925.
112 and 104 Surrey v. Hampshire in 1927.
137 and 111* Surrey v. Glamorgan in 1930.
113 and 119* Surrey v. Essex in 1932.

C. B. Fry, whose record Hobbs has broken, also scored all his three-figure innings for Sussex, his efforts reading as follows:—

108 and 123* v. Middlesex.
125 and 229 v. Surrey.
138 and 101* v. Kent.
156 and 106 v. M.C.C. & Ground.
123 and 112 v. Kent.

Bradman Behind.

Only two cricketers, playing in first-class cricket to-day offer any really serious challenge to this magnificent record established by Hobbs in his fiftieth year—Herbert Sutcliffe and Hardinge, the Kent opening batsmen, both of whom have accomplished the feat on four occasions. W. G. Grace only succeeded twice and the record-breaking Don Bradman has only two such feats to his credit.

Indians Revel in Hot Weather.

The All-India XI, who during the last fortnight have experienced little opposition in their triumphant path, encountered a true and fast wicket at Liverpool on Monday, and they clearly showed their batting abilities on a wicket more in keeping with their own conditions in India. The pitch was bathed in brilliant sunshine when the Indians resumed batting yesterday, and so well did Naidu and Amar Singh appreciate the change in the weather that the former collected 125 and the latter 131 not out against one of the most varied attacks in first-class cricket. To score 493 against Lancashire is no mean feat, when considering that Sibbles is at the height of his form at the moment and is receiving excellent support from Hopwood and Hodgson.

Draw Inevitable.

The Indian bowlers, however, failed to force home the Indian advantage, and once Paynter got going all hopes of a definite result being reached were banished.

Paynter "Fireworks."

In scoring 153 Paynter played his fourth big innings for Lancashire this season. He is in magnificent form this year and has blossomed out into a fast-scoring batsman who is not afraid to hit the ball out of the ground. He had scored 152 against Yorkshire, 159 against Kent, and 98 against Middlesex previous to to-day's effort.

SWITZERLAND OUT OF DAVIS CUP.

Fisher's Amazing Recovery.

ITALY WIN BY ODD MATCH.

Montreux, Yesterday.

Palmieri gave Italy victory in her Davis Cup match against Switzerland here to-day when he defeated Aeschliman in straight sets. Fisher, however, was not disheartened and reduced the Swiss defeat when, as the result of sparkling tennis, he defeated De Stefani in five sets.

Fisher dropped the first two sets after having won but three games before he really settled down. It was thought time and again that he had left it too late, but by amazing determination coupled with magnificent tennis he pulled the game out of the fire after three of the most nerve-wracking sets of his career. Forty-four games were played in the last three sets before De Stefani bowed the knee.

Results as cabled by Reuter were as follows:—

Palmieri (Italy) beat Aeschliman (Switzerland) 6-3, 6-1, 7-5.

Fisher (Switzerland) beat De Stefani (Italy) 3-6, 0-6, 9-7, 8-6, 8-6.

Earlier Results.

Fisher (Switzerland) beat Palmieri (Italy) 6-8, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1, 6-3.

De Stefani (Italy) beat Aeschliman (Switzerland) 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

Sertorio and Palmieri (Italy) beat Aeschliman and Fischer (Switzerland) 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

YANKEES DEFEAT THE INDIANS.

Senators Outslugged by St. Louis Browns.

ONLY TWO HOME RUNS.

New York, Yesterday. The following were the results of to-day's Baseball games:

National League.

Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 5.
Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 5.
Chuck Klein hit a home run.

American League.

Cleveland 6, New York 7.
Detroit 5, Philadelphia 10.
Jimmy Fox hit a home run.
Chicago 4, Boston 5.
St. Louis 17, Washington 3.

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TABLES TO DATE.

National League.

	P.	W.	L.	Per-
				cent.
Chicago	53	32	21	.603
Boston	54	30	24	.565
St. Louis	51	25	26	.490
New York	49	25	24	.510
Pittsburgh	48	23	25	.478
Philadelphia	58	27	31	.465
Brooklyn	54	25	29	.462
Cincinnati	58	28	32	.448

American League.

	P.	W.	L.	Per-
				cent.
New York	53	37	16	.698
Washington	54	31	23	.572
Philadelphia	56	32	24	.571
Detroit	51	27	24	.529
St. Louis	53	28	25	.528
Cleveland	56	29	27	.517
Chicago	52	19	33	.365
Boston	53	10	43	.188

The leaders in the 1932 home run parade are as follows:—

National League.

Chuck Klein (Philadelphia Phillies) 19
Jimmy Collins (St. Louis Cardinals) 12
Melvin Ott (New York Giants) 12

American League.

Jimmy Fox (Philadelphia Aths.) 24
Babe Ruth (New York Yankees) 21
Al Simmons (Philadelphia Aths.) 14
Lou Gehrig (New York Yankees) 13
Mickey Cochrane (Philadelphia A.) 12

Mrs. Moody takes her tennis seriously; she has tremendous power as well as accuracy, and her concentration is well-nigh perfect. To talk about the possibilities of an English victory, or for that matter of any other victory over her, is like discussing the chances of an outsider at a race meeting. G. P. Hughes.

HOME CRICKET SCOREBOARD

(Reuter.)

County Championship.

Surrey beat Essex by nine wickets at the Oval.
Essex: 207 and 236 (O'Connor 104).
Surrey: 243 (Hobbs 113, Nichols 5 for 67);
252 for 1 (Hobbs 119 not out, Gregory 113 not out).

Somersetshire beat Notts by 13 runs at Taunton.
Somerset: 242 and 196 (Larwood 5 for 56).
Notts: 219 (J. C. White 5 for 58) and 206.

Hampshire beat Derbyshire by six wickets at Southampton.
Derby: 318 and 219 for 8 dec. (Smith 103 not out).
Hants: 234 and 307 for 4 (Arnold 100, Mead 104 not out).

Middlesex beat Worcestershire by eight wickets at Lord's.
Worcester: 279 (Durston 5 for 26);
90 (R. W. V. Robins 8 for 45).
Middlesex: 161 (Jackson 5 for 45);
209 for 2 wickets.

Warwickshire beat Northamptonshire by seven wickets at Northampton.
Northants: 161 and 259.
Warwick: 274 and 147 for 3.

Friendlies.

Lancashire drew with the All-India XI at Liverpool.
All-India: 493 (C. K. Naidu 125, Amar Singh 131 not out).
Lancashire: 399 (Paynter 153).
36 for 2 wickets.

Leicestershire beat the South Americans XI by an innings and 33 runs at Leicester.
South America: 112 (Geary 4 for 32, Snary 4 for 35) and 116.
Leicester: 281.

Earlier Result.

Yorkshire beat Kent by four wickets at Tonbridge.
Kent: 196 and 75 (A. C. Rhodes 6 for 48).
Yorkshire: 207 (Freeman 8 for 105);
87 for 6 wickets.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

Sussex v. Surrey at Hove.
Minor Counties v. All-India.

County Championship.

Essex v. Yorkshire at Leyton.
Notts v. Hampshire at Trent Bridge.

Leicester v. Glamorgan at Leicester.
Kent v. Derbyshire at Tonbridge.

Worcester v. Lancashire at Worcester.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE TO DATE.

	1st Inn.	2nd Inn.	No. Pos.	Pts.
	P.	W.	L.	
Middlesex (11)	10	4	0	84
Surrey (8)	11	3	0	81
Kent (3)	10	4	1	77
Sussex (4)	8	4	0	76
Hampshire (12)	9	4	2	72
Lancashire (6)	10	1	3	71
Notts (3)	9	1	2	68
Yorkshire (1)	8	2	0	63
Somerset (13)	9	2	2	62
Warwickshire (9)	10	1	3	47
Leicestershire (16)	9	2	4	44
Derbyshire (7)	10	2	5	43
Northants (17)	10	1	4	35
Glamorgan (15)	9	1	4	30
Essex (10)	8	1	4	28
Gloucester (5)	6	1	4	23
Worcestershire (14)	11	0	5	22

The system of scoring is as follows:—15 points for a win; 7½ points for a tie; 5 points for a first innings win; 5 points for a first innings defeat; and 4 points for a draw and a tie on the first innings.
The figures in brackets denote the positions held by the respective counties at the close of last season.



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SWIMMING RECORDS SHATTERED

PHILIPPINES OLYMPIC TEAM AT THE V.R.C.

BATH HANDICAPS ALL

JAPAN NO LONGER A POWER IN THE SWIMMING WORLD.

Last night swimming enthusiasts were treated to a brilliant aquatic display when T. Ildefonso, A. Jikirim and A. Ali, members of the Philippines Olympic swimming team, took the water in the V.R.C. bath against leading local swimmers. As was to be expected records were broken by the celebrated visitors, Ildefonso smashing Wan Kwong-tin's record for the 100 Yards Breast Stroke by the large margin of 10 seconds, Ali, though breaking the local record for the 100 Yards Free Style, failed by a second to equal the record for the bath, established in 1928 by Takashi, the Japanese Olympic swimmer.

The Philippine Islands Olympic athletes sail for Shanghai to-day on the Tatsuta Maru after a brief stay in the Colony. They are on their way to Los Angeles to compete in the Olympic Games.

Remarkable times were returned in the V.R.C. bath last evening, when the three representatives of the Philippine Islands Olympic swimming team were seen in action against the Colony's aquatic stars.

Only two events were contested—100 Yards Breast Stroke race and 100 Yards Free Style race, both of which were won by the Filipinos with considerable ease.

Three members of the V.R.C. too part against the Island cracks, H.M. Remedios in the breast stroke and L. Roza-Pereira and W. Lawrence in the free style.

Records Shattered.

In the 100 Yards breast stroke, T. Ildefonso returned the splendid time of 68.2/5 secs., which is 10 secs. faster than Wan Kwong-tin's record for the bath, whilst A. Ali won the 100 Yards free style in 56.1/5 secs., which is only 1/5 of a second slower than the bath record set up by Takashi, the Japanese Olympic contestant who swam here in 1928. Ali's time, however, beat the local record of 59 seconds set up by D. Lyon in 1924.

Plucky Remedios.

Ildefonso assumed the lead from the start in the 100 Yards breast stroke and maintained it throughout, closely followed by his compatriot, A. Jikirim, who covered the distance in 69.4/5 seconds. H.M. Remedios swam exceptionally well, but could scarcely be expected to shine against swimmers who have both broken the World's Olympic re-

cord for 200 metres.

Ali's Easy Win.

Ali showed a splendid style and powerful stroke against L. Roza-Pereira and W. Lawrence in the free style event, and he never appeared to be fully extended. His pace throughout the distance did not vary and he came home ahead of the local pair by 6-1/5 seconds. The pair dead-heated, clocking 62.2/5 secs.

Exhibition Swimming.

It was a sporting contest, and a good gathering were present. The Filipino trio came in for a great deal of admiration, particularly Ildefonso, who pulls himself through the water with a powerful un-hurried stroke. After the two events, the visitors gave an exhibition swim around the tank, and it gave the local enthusiasts a good idea of what can be expected from these Olympic contestants.

Tank Too Long.

In conversation with a China Mail representative after the swimming, Ali said that the length of the tank made a great difference to his time. His best efforts were made in small tanks, as he invariably made ground on the turn with his push off from the wall.

Mr. Bartolome, head coach of the team, said that their strongest opponents would probably be the Spanish and German swimmers. He further added that he did not think Japan would be strong con-

(Continued in next Column.)

China Mail Sports Diary.

TO-DAY.

RACING—Hughes and Hough, Ltd., auction of Race ponies at Happy Valley at 5.30 p.m.

LAWN BOWLS—Open Championship—J. Fraser v. H. Gittins, R. F. Luz v. J. G. Meyer, J. J. Gregory v. W. Venables. On the Kowloon C.C. Green at 5.30 p.m.

LAWN TENNIS—Mixed Doubles. Indian R.C. v. Ladies' R.C. Kowloon C.C. v. Chinese R.C. U.S.R.C. v. Club de Rekrelo. "C" Division.

Kowloon Indians v. South China. Indian R.C. v. Club de Rekrelo. Craigengower v. Hong Kong C.C. Army R.C. v. Philippine Club. Y.M.C.A. v. Radio Sports. Kowloon C.C. v. Police R.C. Graduates' Assn. v. Chinese R.C. FRIDAY.

CRICKET—Interport Dinner at H.K.C.C. Pavilion at 8 p.m.

SATURDAY.

LAWN BOWLS—First Division. Taihook R.C. v. Craigengower C.C. Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon C.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon Dock's R.C. Club de Rekrelo v. Kowloon B.G.C. Second Division.

Craigengower C.C. v. Taihook R.C. Kowloon C.C. v. Civil Service C.C. Kowloon B.G.C. v. Club de Rekrelo. H.K. Electric R.C. v. Yacht Club. LAWN TENNIS—"A" Division.

South China v. Chinese R.C. Kowloon C.C. v. Hong Kong C.C. "B" Division.

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(Continued from previous Column.) tenders for Olympic swimming honours. "Maybe about six years hence," he smilingly said.

Leaving To-day.

No swimming will be done in Shanghai, and it is probable that the Filipino contingent will be confined to the boat whilst there, owing to the epidemic of cholera.

The team leave to-day on the Tatsuta Maru, and it is anticipated that another display will be given in Hong Kong when they return on the s.s. Shinyo Maru.

BURGHLEY CAPTAIN

AT OLYMPIAD IN LOS ANGELES.

His Successes on White City Track.

GERMAN CHAMPION'S TRIBUTE.

Reid Left At Start But Wins 100 Yards.

Lord Burghley has been selected to captain the British Athletic team for the Olympic Games at Los Angeles.

He gained this distinction by his fine performances at the British Games on the new White City Stadium track. There he won the 120 Yards Hurdles defeating his old rival H. Trossbach, and participated in the One Mile relay race, winning the last quarter. His selection as captain of the side was fully expected and everyone was glad to see how successful he was at the White City, a track quite strange to him.

F. F. Reid, the famous sprinter, who won the 100 Yards, had a curious experience. There were three false starts and then at the pistol Reid got badly left. He made a magnificent recovery and won with a yard inside evens! His explanation was that he did not hear the pistol and that not until the others had got well off the mark did he realize that the fourth start was the actual race.

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FAMOUS CRICKETER RANJ.

Compares Empire to Cricket Team.

"EACH MEMBER MUST PLAY FOR THEIR SIDE."

London, Yesterday. "The British Empire was a cricket team whose success depended on the way in which its members played for their side," was the happy comparison made by the famous cricketer, "Ranji" in a message to the Advertising Association Convention in Liverpool.

He added that the Indian princes would never let their side down. He said that important sections of Indian opinion were interested in politics almost by accident, because they felt that their commercial aspirations had not hitherto received sympathetic treatment, and appealed for a conference between business men of Britain and India, undisturbed by politicians, in order to frame a policy for their mutual benefit. — Reuter's Special Service.

The return match between the Kowloon Chess Club and the German Club will be played off this evening, commencing at 8.30, at the Central British School, the headquarters of the Kowloon Chess Club.

(Continued from previous Column.) There was a happy exchange of amenities at the subsequent dinner.

Lord Burghley sat with his old friend, Trossbach, who responded on behalf of the team. The German hurdler confessed that this would be his last season. He had hurdled in international meetings for 10 years. As a token of friendship for Burghley he took the golden eagle badge presented to him eight years ago by the Berliner Club and pinned it on the Englishman's coat. Incidentally Trossbach said that the White City Stadium track was the finest in Europe.

Lieut. Rampling, the quarter-mile champion, is convalescent after his recent operation. He is now in training, but he did not take part in the A. A. A. match against Oxford University.

PERRY AND HUGHES WIN

SMASHING VICTORY OVER RUMANIANS.

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Match All Over in Half An Hour.

Torquay, May 14.

A one-sided doubles match in the second round of the Davis Cup, between Great Britain and Rumania, here to-day resulted in an easy victory for the home country.

F. J. Perry and H. F. David had won both the singles yesterday, and to-day Perry, partnered by G. F. Hughes, settled the issue by defeating the Rumanian pair, N. Mishu and G. Poullett by 6-0, 6-1, 6-1 in thirty-five minutes.

The British pair did all that was expected of them, but the match was, of course, never any test of their real merits, for the Rumanians were completely outclassed, and there are many ordinary club pairs who would have given Perry and Hughes a sterner fight. Mishu, when he was a prominent figure in English lawn tennis, always achieved his effects by his unexpectedness. His weirdly unorthodox methods tied many a nervous opponent into knots, but those "comics" cut absolutely no ice against class players like Perry and Hughes.

Mishu Lobs

The greatest asset of Mishu is his power of lobbing, and he used this to the utmost to-day. In Perry, however, he had an opponent who revels in this phase of the game, and his deep smashing was marvellous in its accuracy and speed. Poullett has quite a good forehand drive, but is weak on the other wing, and Mishu, who was in a less exuberant mood than usual, frequently shook his head sorrowfully over his partner's failures.

Mishu is always a good sportsman, and he was often loud in his appreciation of his opponents' good work.

Weak though the opposition was, Perry and Hughes were a very workmanlike pair. Perry's taking of service in the left court was magnificent, and he frequently scored outright winners from it.

Hughes played a quieter but none the less quite as useful a game. He was never hustled, but worked along on the lines of the campaign which had obviously been carefully thought out beforehand.

The ball would go backward and forward a few times, and just at the right moment, when they had got it just where they wanted, either Perry or Hughes would dash in and finish the rally with a brilliant stop volley, or would safely stow it away, hopelessly out of the reach of either of their opponents.

The attack rested almost entirely with the Englishmen. They lost no time in taking up the net position, whether on their own service or that of the Rumanians, who were seldom allowed to move from the back of the court.

Curiously, the only games won by Rumania were both off an opponent's service. Hughes dropping his in the third game of the second set, and Perry his in the fourth of the third. Possibly, they did not wish to inflict the ignominy of a 6-0, 6-0, 6-0 defeat on their gallant enemies!

LAWN BOWLS RINKS FOR SATURDAY.

The following teams have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in their Lawn Bowls League matches against the Club de Rekrelo on Saturday.

First team (away): R. Duncan, D. W. Phillips, R. S. Nichol, and A. M. Holland (Skip).

H. F. Stoneham, C. S. Beat, N. Nish, and W. Russell (Skip).

G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, R. Hall, and E. W. L. Hoobla (Skip).

Second team (home) G. H. Sherri, J. S. Logan, W. E. Hale, and W. S. Drake (Skip).

W. Venables, C. Hatt, J. G. Meyer, and F. L. Rapley (Skip).

S. Ashworth, F. V. Whitla, T. Gidding, and H. H. Rose (Skip).

New Football Sensation in Calcutta

British Soldiers Requested to Lose Match

Calcutta, May 27.

Calcutta's latest football sensation, in a season which has witnessed repeated upheavals, is an attempt made by two Mohammedan gamblers to bribe the captain and the goal-keeper of the King's Royal Rifles team to lose their match against the Calcutta Customs and the discovery by the Police that there is no section in the Penal Code under which the two men, who were arrested, can be placed before the Magistrate.

It appears that on Saturday last Corporal Dixon, captain and centre half of the King's Royal Rifles, and Lance-Corporal Warwick, were approached on the Maidan by two Indians, who told them that they would be given Rs. 100 each if their side lost their league match against the Customs on Monday. The two Mohammedans further told them that they were willing, as proof of their bona fides, to give them each a small advance before the game, together with some bottles of whisky and promised them faithfully to pay the rest as soon as the match was lost.

Police Given Control.

Dixon made an appointment with the two men that they should meet him and Warwick near the Ronaldshay Hut on the following morning with the promised advance and the bottles of whisky and informed R. M. S. Barker, the trainer of the football team, as soon as he returned to Fort William. The matter was carried to the Sports Officer of the Battalion, who decided that it was too serious for them to deal with and the Police were accordingly informed.

Mohammedans Were There. The following morning, according to the arrangement, Dixon and Warwick went to the Maidan and the Ronaldshay Hut, where they were approached by the two Mohammedans, who told them that they were the "big game" and that they would be given Rs. 100 each if their side lost their match against the Customs on Monday.

the two soldiers that they would give them Rs. 80 between them in advance and that the balance of Rs. 170 would surely be paid as soon as the match was over, doubtless from the big sum they hoped to make by betting on the result.

As they were handing over the three notes of Rs. 10 each, the Mohammedans were arrested by a European Police Sergeant, who had been in hiding behind a tree close by, with R. S. M. Barker.

Could Not Be Charged. The men were marched off to the Police Headquarters and then the problem arose as to what charges under which they could be sent up to the Magistrate. Bribery and corruption would not apply, as the two soldiers were not public servants who were being bribed to neglect their duty. Opinion of the Police Prosecutor was sought and it was understood that he replied that the greatly reprehensible as the offence of the two Mohammedans was, there was no section in the Indian Penal Code under which they could be charged.

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The matter is not likely to be referred to the Government, as it is in the Penal Code, in view of the growing evidence that bribery and corruption exist in a shameful degree in Calcutta. (The ball game was postponed to Monday.)

United States and the Olympic Games

Bare Representation Probable Outcome of Economy Cuts

European teams are not the only ones coming to the Olympic games under a financial strain. The United States representatives are likely to be considerably reduced if the financial crisis which the Olympic committee is facing now is not rectified in the near future.

Avery Brundage of Chicago, President both of the Olympic committee and the National Amateur Athletic Union, said that a meeting was recently called to discuss ways and means of cutting down the U.S. team, depending upon the outcome of a forthcoming campaign for money. In any case, he said, we are faced with the sharp necessity for economy.

"If it means that we cannot raise enough money to send more than half-a-dozen athletes to Los Angeles we will not send more than half-a-dozen," he said.

Eighth of Sum Collected. To date approximately \$40,000 has been obtained toward the aggregate 1932 American Olympics Fund of \$350,000 fixed for the handling of a full delegation in all sports. Most of this sum is already involved as the Olympic committee's share of team expenses for the Winter games last February at Lake Placid.

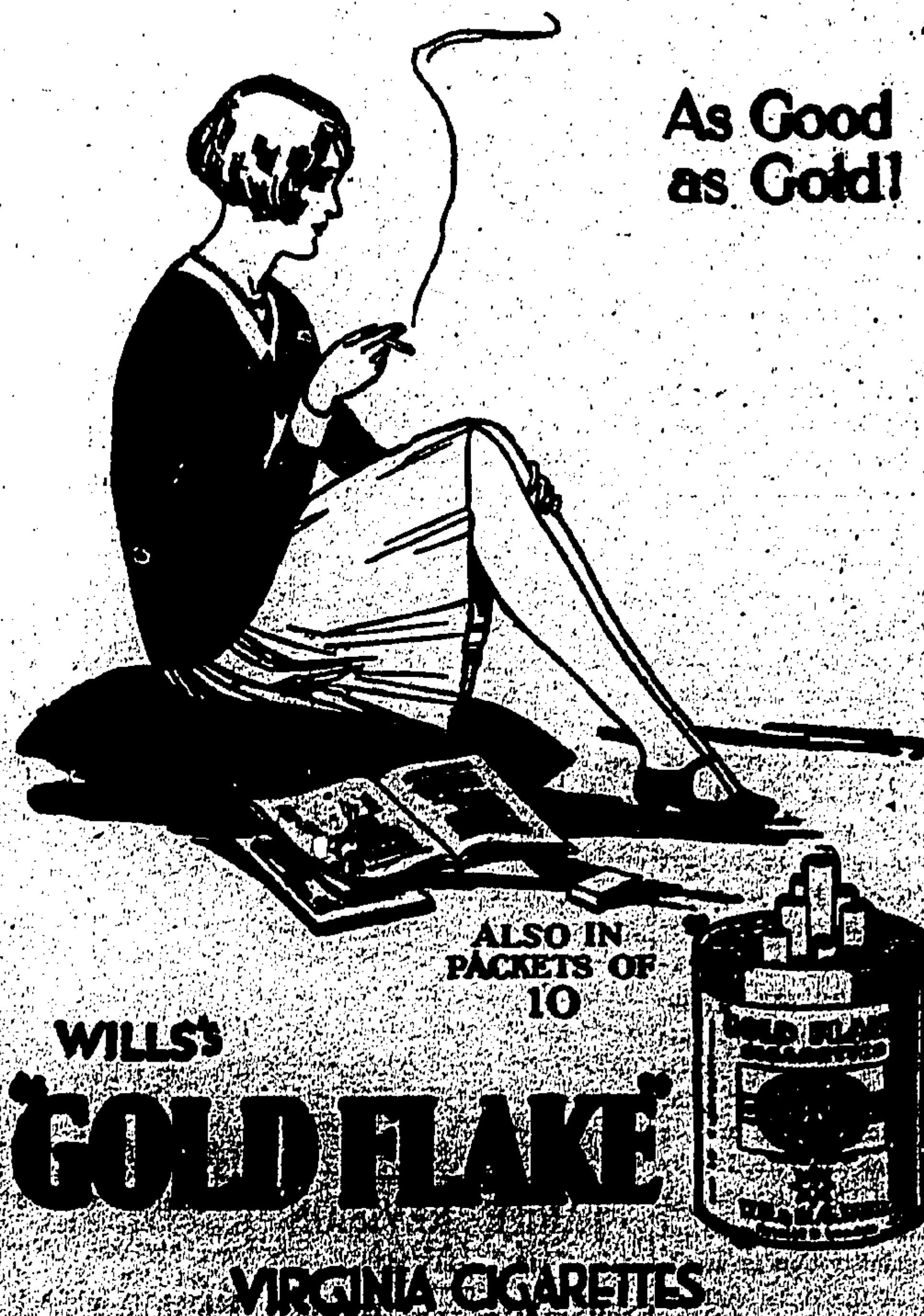
pointed out, the Committee is now virtually starting from scratch in its nation-wide search for funds with which to transport and board approximately 400 athletes, coaches and officials for the Olympic Games at Los Angeles.

Economy Cuts.

"Naturally, as the host nation, we feel we should be represented fully in all branches of competition," said Brundage, "but we shall unquestionably be obliged to cut our entries in some events and exert economy all along the line."

A programme for economy has been set out and included the following three features: 1. No extra coaches for any teams; 2. No trainers; 3. "Omnibus" entries only to competitors of Olympic calibre.

"We may as well face the music now and consider drastic measures, otherwise we may send down toward the bottom of the barrel," said Brundage.



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The China Mail.

Hong Kong, Wednesday, June 15, 1932.

The Colony's Water Supply.

The lifting of the water restrictions will be hailed with great satisfaction and residents will now be compensated for the inconvenience of the past few weeks.

It is a matter for congratulation that the hardship entailed was not any greater and the welcome heavy rainfall of the last few days, particularly the phenomenal fall of over 5 inches yesterday, was very welcome. While only seven hours' water supply was permitted the position was endurable even if undesirable, but when the supply was later reduced to only three hours per day, personal discomfort was not only caused but the health of the Colony was threatened.

The continuance of the drought and the failure of typhoons which approached, but did not arrive, created a gloomy situation which was saved only by the present exceptionally heavy rainfall. Now the position is assured, but satisfaction should be tempered with reflection on the water problem in the Colony. There will be a tendency to accept the matter as settled, but it should be remembered that the fortune which has saved us this year may not always occur, and the Colony is still open to a recurrence of the shortage of 1929. The position should be remedied, and at once. There has been too much apathy on the part of the residents—and for that matter, on the part of some officials—and it is only when the shortage becomes serious that any live interest is evinced. A healthy, active interest in any such public matter always assists in the solution of the problem and a manifestation of some feeling by residents would be attended by effective results. At the moment the local administration is awaiting sanction of the Home authorities in order to proceed with the Shing Mun scheme. Indications have been given that the Colonial Secretary is unaware of the urgency of the question to Hong Kong, and if any misapprehension does exist, correction will not be effected through any apathetic attitude by residents here. More concern will have to be shown and efforts to apply an immediate remedy should not be abated now that the danger for this year is past. The future of the Colony is affected, quite apart from the personal and medical aspect, as the authorities will shortly have no alternative but to prohibit immigration and check expansion unless an adequate water supply can be assured to the rapidly increasing population. Formerly the reservoirs were sufficient for the needs of the Colony, but the large development and growth of the Colony has increased the population while no effort have been taken to effect a corresponding increase in the water supply.

Accepting the position as it has been for the past few years, it cannot be said that the authorities have shown much ingenuity in coping with the shortages. This year no action was taken until the reservoir levels were so low that action was imperative. Then, restrictions were hastily imposed, and the hours were further shortened as the drought continued. If rain had not fallen as it did further drastic restrictions would have been necessary and resort would probably have been made to the same methods employed in 1929. Better foresight could be shown and the imposition of sudden and severe restrictions could be avoided if a few precautions were taken in the winter. Wastage cannot be avoided altogether but much water could be saved in the winter if more care were observed. Water could be conserved, if, during certain periods, or possibly all the winter, the supply were cut off for a certain time at night. Little inconvenience would be caused and the necessity for severe measures in the early summer would be obviated.

TARIFF REVISION IN JAPAN

New Measure Passed by Both Houses

Tokyo, Yesterday.—The Tariff Revision Bill, one of the first measures to be introduced by the recently formed cabinet, has been passed by the Upper House of the Diet. The Lower House passed the Bill last week. Reuter.

TRACES FOUND OF HANS BERTRAM.

Airmen Missing Over Month.

TOOK TO BUSH.

Seaplane Found on N.W. Coast of Australia.

Wyndham, Yesterday.—After nearly a month, word has been received of Captain Hans Bertram and his three companions, who were lost while attempting to cross the Timor Sea on a flight to Australia.

His seaplane has been found near the Drysdale River Mission Station, lonely outpost in the North-West of Australia, together with a message stating that the airmen had gone into the bush.

An Australian Airways plane has left to search for them.—Reuter.

In Wildest Australia. Captain Bertram was a well-known German aviator. Along with 3 companions he was engaged in a flight from Germany to the East Indies, a month ago they set out to cross the Timor sea and until the discovery of their seaplane they had not been heard of.

The district in which they landed is regarded as the most desolate in Australia, being rugged and rocky and heavily timbered.

DRAMATIC ESCAPE OF HAUSNER.

Sighted as Darkness Was Falling.

AVIATOR EXHAUSTED AND BRUISED.

London, Yesterday.—The dramatic story of the rescue of Stanley Hausner, the Newark aviator, who was picked up by the steamer Circle Shell on Sunday, has been wireless by the captain of the steamer.

The Circle Shell is at present in mid-Atlantic, and the message states that the aeroplane was espied in the distance as darkness was falling. A life boat was lowered into the rough sea and picked up Hausner who was exhausted, bruised and lacerated as a result of his eight days of weary ordeal.

He is now recovering.—Reuter.

News in Brief.

One case each of typhoid and meningitis were notified to the M.O.H. on Monday.

Cheung Chau-hung, a P.W.D. employee, sustained shock and injuries, when he accidentally fell into the Tai Hang Nullah, and was swept up against the rocks.

The incessant heavy rain, caused a rock at Belcher's Fort hillside to become dislodged. In falling it struck Ho Sam (23), a male, injuring his right leg. The man was working at the time.

Falling from the top bunk, a height of seven feet, at 134, Apili Street, an apprentice painter, Wong Po (18) was sent to the Kwong Wah Hospital in an unconscious condition.

A woman, Ng Shu-heung (29), living on the second floor of 91, Wuhu Street, Hungnam, was found hanging from a typhoon shutter with a rope coiled twice round her neck. Suicide is suspected. The body was removed to the mortuary.

Wong Wing-hing, a broker living at 13, Sai Kung Street, has reported to the Police that on June 6 last he handed a pair of gold bangles, valued at \$300, to a man named Lau Kwok-chung, with a view to selling it. The man since absconded with the bangle.

The Report of the Official Receiver for the year 1931, shows that 22 petitions were presented, while assets collected amounted to over \$377,000. The amount received in fees amounted to \$24,104.84, which is in excess of any previous annual total.

The return of notifiable diseases for the week ended June 11, gives the following:—Typhoid 5 cases, enteric fever 2 cases, diphtheria 2 cases, scarlet fever 1 case, (1 imported), typhoid fever 1 case, (imported), meningitis 4 cases, 8 deaths, pulmonary tuberculosis 58 deaths, of whom were British officers.

LYTTON REPORT IN AUGUST.

To Visit Japan.

MASS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE.

Peking, Yesterday.—Members of the Lytton Commission, which has been investigating conditions in Manchuria, this evening issued a statement that their report will not be written continuously and entirely in one place, but will be begun in Tokyo, and completed at Peking, where relevant documents are available.

Lord Lytton, interviewed, declared that the Commission would go to Japan on June 22, depending on the arrival of Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Assessor, who will leave for Peking on Friday or Saturday.

Lord Lytton said that the report and conclusion would be dependent on final discussions regarding them with the Japanese Government. The report would be published in Japan and China simultaneously in the English and French languages.

The Commission would endeavour to get the report to the League of Nations by the end of August, but it might possibly not reach it before the middle of September, because an enormous amount of documentary evidence must be assimilated.

He was of the opinion that as a result of the report, and the recommendations contained in it, the League would probably say to the parties concerned: "Are you prepared to negotiate on the basis of this report." — Reuter.

PHILIPPINE ISLAND JUDGE.

Mr. J. A. Ostrand Returns to Manila.

Judge J. A. Ostrand, one of the members of the Supreme Court of the Philippine Islands, was among the passengers passing through Hong Kong on the President Coolidge.

Formerly a judge of the Court of the First Instance, he was later chosen to act at the Supreme Court on account of his great judicial abilities. He is one of the oldest American residents in the Islands, having spent the best part of his life there.

MISHAP TO ARGYLL PRIVATE.

Overcome by Exhaust Fumes.

While driving a car along Nathan Road yesterday, Private A. Scott of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, suddenly collapsed over the wheel.

The car stopped in the middle of the road, and he was found unconscious, apparently overcome by the exhaust fumes.

He was removed to the Kowloon Hospital and regained consciousness during the evening. His condition is not serious.

DECREASE IN SERIOUS CRIME.

H.K. Police Report for 1931.

Serious crime in the Colony showed a welcome reduction in 1931 according to the Annual Report of the Hong Kong Police, although the kidnapping of children increased to an alarming extent during the early part of the year. There was an increase of petty larcenies.

The anti-Japanese rioting, marked the year's good record, with the shop looting and the hasty murder of Douglas Carmichael, and an armed robbery and kidnapping at Kowloon.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Mr. Jeffries Explains Typhoons.

FORECASTING SYSTEM.

The forecasting system at the Observatory and an explanation of typhoons, was given by Mr. C. W. Jeffries, F.R.A.S., Director of the Royal Observatory, at the weekly tiffin of the Rotary Club, held at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant yesterday, under the chairmanship of the Hon. Dr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D.

The chairman welcomed Mr. R. St. J. Braddell, President of the Singapore Rotary Club, who delivered a short address on Rotary, stressing the value of weekly meetings.

On behalf of the Club, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Sheaton thanked Mr. Jeffries for his interesting talk.

Modern Forecasting. Mr. Jeffries spoke of the foundation of modern weather forecasting as being the synoptic chart or weather map. The wind direction arrows in the synoptic chart had a tendency of flying from regions of high barometer pressure to regions where it is low, across the lines of equal pressure known as isobars. The practice of weather forecasting depended mainly upon conclusions derived empirically from the study of synoptic weather charts.

Origin of Typhoons. Dealing with the origin of typhoons, Mr. Jeffries said that the older books stated that vigorous convection of the air in tropical regions, aided by the earth's rotation are jointly responsible for a spiral motion of the winds round a centre or vortex. Of late years much of this had been doubted, particularly the vortical nature of the central region, much that is destructive had been written, and little that was constructive.

Local Effect. The first effect of a typhoon upon Hong Kong, he said, is usually a spell of bright and hot weather. As the typhoon approached the clear sky becomes clouded, and a first rough approximation of the storm's track may be gathered from the nature of the clouds. The progress of a typhoon may be estimated by observing the fall of the barometer.

Storm Warnings. All information regarding the typhoon is passed to the public without delay. Storm warnings were the cause of much inconvenience and loss of valuable time in the commercial activities of Hong Kong but they should be regarded as an insurance premium against possible disasters, and accepted as cheerfully as possible.

JUNE SESSIONS LIST.

Opens on Monday Next.

One murder charge appears on the June Criminal Sessions List, which commences at the Supreme Court next Monday.

The list of cases is as follows:—Before the Chief Justice, (Sir Joseph Kemp)—Rex versus Cheung Sau-fu, on two charges of delivering letters demanding money with menace, and Rex versus Cheung Sau-fu on a charge of murder. Before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood)—Rex versus Chan Chok, on a charge of arson.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN CHINGHAI.

Tibetan Troops in Unprovoked Attack.

Nanking, Yesterday.—Telegrams from Chinghai states that serious trouble has arisen in that province, as a result of the Tibetan troops making an allegedly unprovoked attack on Chinese territory. General Ma Lin, Chairman of the Chinghai Provincial Government, says that the Tibetan forces are well equipped and are driving into Chinghai by way of the Langchen and Shunon highways, the two chief travel routes between the countries. The Tibetans, already numerous in the Chinese provinces, who have been forced to retreat. The situation is reported to be very tense.—Reuter.

U.S.S. Helena Starts Last Voyage

Farewell Cruise After
30-Year Term

A REVIEW OF HER NOTABLE
COMPANY.

TUMULTUOUS HISTORY SINCE 1897

"To-day our old running mate, the 'Helena,' commenced her last voyage after thirty years' service with the Asiatic Fleet," writes a correspondent in the Manila Bulletin. Though sad to relate, her destination was the scrap-heap; we are nevertheless proud of the fact that the game old wagon went out under her own power (why mention that it was necessary to inflict a convoy on her?). She left Hong Kong, in company with the 'Pecos,' for Cavite for decommissioning, and, presumably, dismantling.

Peace to her honourable old parts wherever they may wind up, and may they, although broken up and scattered, find as useful service in some worthy capacity in the future as they have faithfully rendered to her country in the long, long past. The Chinese rivers, both north and south, will miss the familiar passage of her sturdy screw sometimes bent on missions of stern necessity, but more generally on errands of peace and mercy where they mattered immeasurably.

Her departure leaves the 'Mindanao' carrying the banner all alone down here for the present. Ching Ching, Ho La, old shipmate! You, at least, know that's South China for good-bye and plenty good jobs.

Gratefully acknowledged is the foregoing send-off by the 'Helena's' running mate, the U.S.S. River gunboat 'Mindanao,' published in the May number of the 'Asiatic Fleet Magazine.'

35 Years' Service.
Now a shift of scenes, and a traveller on the Manila Ferry, approaching the Cavite Navy Yard, will see towering above Machinery Wharf the white sides and spar coloured upper works of an Old Timer, which is soon to be no more. For thirty-five years the U.S.S. 'Helena' has served the country faithfully, counting among her commanders of the past some of the highest ranking officers of the present day and remembered by all as a happy ship.

Now she lies basking in the tropical sun and rising higher and higher out of the water as her storerooms are emptied of tons of supplies, the coal disgorged from her bunkers and her eight 4"-40's and four 3-pounders (which made her the second most heavily armed vessel in the Asiatic Fleet) carried away into store houses ashore. In place of the quarterdeck guns which once glistened with bright steel work and polished brass are now brown unsightly patches studded with holes stopped up by wooden plugs; the quarterdeck itself, once spotless—where side boys and marine guard have enacted many a snappy ceremony at the reception of distinguished callers—is now spotted with oil and cluttered with odds and ends destined for removal.

For the old 'Helena' has come to the end of her days. In a few weeks, all articles of value to Uncle Sam having been removed, the hull is to be sold for scrap or, in the event that a pitifully small sum cannot be obtained for it, this ancient hull, which the tropical seas have, in the course of years, corroded to a dangerous extent, will be towed out to deep water and sunk.

The Launching.
The gunboat 'Helena' named in honour of City of Helena, Montana, was christened and launched on January 30, 1896, sponsored by the youthful Miss Agnes Belle Steele (late Mrs. John H. Burke) the daughter of the then Mayor of Helena, Montana. The U.S.S. 'Helena' has been authorised by Act of Congress, March 3, 1893. The contract for her construction was awarded to the Newport News Shipbuilding Company, Newport News, Virginia, January 29, 1894, and her keel was laid October 11, nine months later.

Even on her trials the 'Helena' distinguished herself, maintaining a rate of 15.31 knots, exceeding the contract speed of 13 knots, and earning a bonus of \$55,000. This is especially interesting when viewed in the light of the fact that right up to the final securing of her plant, the 'Helena' steamed easily at over fourteen

knots. Consider this—after more than thirty-five years of service, the 'Helena' could exceed the contract speed. When ordered to Cavite from Hong Kong, where she had been stationed since 1929, patrolling the river between Canton and Hong Kong, so little was expected of her that the U.S.S. 'Pecos' was assigned to convoy and if necessary tow her to the Navy Yard, Cavite.

True to the predictions of her officers and crew, the proffered assistance was unnecessary. The 'Helena' steamed to her present berth in the same unruffled manner that has always marked her performance of duty, a seagoing version of the 'One Horse Shay'—all her machinery worn out and her inner hull filled with cement to stop the many leaks, but the will to 'carry on' unbroken! True—she upheld her reputation as the Navy's most sensational roller, but so thoroughly had everything been secured that not even a plate of beans was spilled!

The 'White Swan of the Yangtze,' as she was destined to be called years later, was commissioned July 8, 1897, under the command of Commander W. T. Swinborne, U.S. Navy, and made a shakedown cruise to Lisbon, Portugal, via the Bermuda and the Madeira Islands.

It is said that she was designed for patrolling the Amazon River. This was the reason for her famous stack which is still high although some twenty-odd feet have been removed. The high hills and the thick, high vegetation bordering that mighty river made such height necessary for purposes of draft. However, the War with Spain broke, and upon her return from this cruise she was ordered instead to Key West, Florida, where she joined the blockade of Cuban ports in April 1898.

Under Fire at Cuba.
The 'Helena' received her baptism of fire from the Spanish forts at Point Tinas, Cuba, on July 2, and participated in the destruction of the Spanish gunboats and other vessels in the harbour of Manzanillo, Cuba, July 18, 1898. Three ships were captured by her gallant officers and crew: the 'Miguel Lopez,' Spanish steamer, with a cargo of cotton, April 23; the 'Quarto De Septiembre,' Spanish sailboat, April 27; and the 'Manati' Spanish tug, July 29.

The gunboat 'Helena' proceeded to Boston, Mass. on September 2, 1898, and sailed from that New England port on a bleak day in November of the same year for the Asiatic Station, where she has remained ever since, to establish a record of more continuous foreign service than any other ship in the American Navy. Her course took her via the Mediterranean and the Suez Canal and she arrived at Manila on February 19, 1899. Commanded by E. K. Moore, U.S. Navy, a repertoire of sea stories that

assumed command on August 15, six months later.

The 'Helena' was next to distinguished herself during the Filipino Insurrection. She assisted in intercepting trade between the insurgents' ports, clearing the shore, conveying and landing troops. On November 7, 1899, she participated in the bombardment of San Fabian, P. I., and covered the landing of forces there.

Jointly with the U.S.S. 'Newark' and the U.S.S. 'Princeton,' the U.S.S. 'Helena' forced the surrender of Aparri, northern islands and the northern provinces of Luzon, December 10 to 29, 1899.

The 'Helena' was ordered to Chinese waters in October, 1900 and operated with the Yangtze Patrol until 1905, when she returned to the Philippines and was decommissioned at the Navy Yard, Cavite, P. I., for overhaul. New boilers were installed and general repairs made and she steamed out again in 1906, under the command of Commander James C. Gilmore, U.S. Navy, and resumed operations in the Chinese River Service. During her service in China she protected American lives and property and partook in all the tumultuous history of the time.

Long List of Commanders.
Her Commanding Officers since 1901 have been:

Comm. R. R. Ingersoll	1901
Comm. S. A. Staunton	1905
Comm. James C. Gilmore	1905
Comm. Richard M. Hughes	1907
Comm. Wilson W. Buchanan	1908
Comm. Reuben O. Bitler	1909
Comm. Chester M. Knepper	1911
Comm. Richard H. Jackson	1912
Comm. George R. Marvell	1912
Comm. W. C. Cole	1914
Comm. D. Brotherton	1915
Lt. Comdr. St. C. Smith	1916
Comm. W. G. Briggs	1917
Lt. Comdr. G. K. Davis	1919
Comm. A. K. Shoup	1920
Comm. R. A. Abernathy	1922
Comm. J. P. Lannon	1923
Capt. E. J. Consten	1924
Comm. C. C. Moses	1925
Capt. J. M. Enoch	1926
Comm. E. B. Armstrong	1927
Comm. W. H. Pasley	1928
Lt. Comdr. W. P. Bacon	1929
Lt. Comdr. A. E. Schrader	1930
Lt. Comdr. S. P. Jenkins	1930
Lt. Comdr. M. C. Partello	1931

This brings the list of her commanders up to Lieutenant Commander Robert L. Mitten, U.S. Navy, who assumed command on February 24, 1932, and who will haul down the commission pennant on June 1, 1932.

Famous Personnel.

As Titian's paintings without colour, so 'Helena's' story would be drab indeed without a few sentences about some of the more noted characters of her ship's company. The outstanding member in point of weight is her three hundred and seventy pound chief commissary steward, E. F. Gingle, one of the best known men throughout the Station. Gingle has been in the culinary business since he wore knee pants and his avoirdupois evidences the quality of his product. He can do more with a steak than Toscanini to Boston, Mass. with a score of Mozart or Fritz Kreisler with his violin. He handles a skillet like John Philip Sousa did his baton and his stews would make saliva run down the wooden jewels of a cigar store Indian.

Next in point of interest is one of the choicest boatswain's mates and that ever blew a call, 'Hook' Re-suez Canal and she arrived at Manila on February 19, 1899. Commanded by E. K. Moore, U.S. Navy, a repertoire of sea stories that

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETING.

Bills to Be Read.

The Legislative Council Meeting will be held on June 23, when the first reading of 'A Bill to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899' will take place.

The following Bills will be read for a second time:—
'A Bill for the resumption of the City Hall,' and 'A Bill to amend the Liquors Ordinance, 1931.'

The third reading of 'A Bill to consolidate and amend the law regarding the granting of Pensions, Gratuities and other Allowances in respect of public service' will be moved by the Hon. Attorney-General.

The following will be presented:—

Hong Kong Police Annual Report for 1931, Report of the Harbour Master and Director of All Services for 1931, Report of the Director of Education for 1931, Report on the Botanical and Forestry Department for 1931 and the Report of the Official Receiver and Registrar of Trade Marks and Letters Patent for 1931.

SIR ROBERT HO TUNG IN LONDON.

Explaining Chinese Conditions.

London, To-day.
Sir Robert Ho Tung, who has been busily engaged here in explaining the Chinese situation in trading, financial and shipping quarters in the city, was entertained at luncheon by the Chinese Consul General. Among those present were Dr. 'Sze and Mr. Wang. Sir Robert will probably proceed to the Continent in a few weeks' time.—Reuter.

would fill the sails of a windjammer and drive it around the world in ninety days. Don't let his genteel origin deceive you, however. Like Mr. James Tunney, who knows all about Shakespeare, Regan carries dynamite in his fists. He never has to use them, though, as men follow him with the natural love of a leader. Dame Rumor (curses her pestiferous soul) hath it that during the late war Regan and Gingle used to give the natives of Queens-town, Ireland, some excellent imitation of how Charlie Mitchell and John L. Sullivan pounded each other.

Then there was Oscar, the Ward-room cat, the most famous feline in the whole Naval Service, who had a green eye to starboard and a red eye to port, which shone at night in the manner of perfect side lights. One night Oscar went A. W. O. L. and disgraced himself by jumping on a passing Chinese junk on the Sikiang to court a sighing lady cat. The attraction must have been more than passing fair because he never reported in again.

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SUCCESSFUL WHIST DRIVE AT Y.M.C.A.

Entertainment for Service Men.

A successful whist drive was held at the European Y.M.C.A. on Monday night for the entertainment of Service men.

Prize winners were:—
Ladies:—1st, Mrs. Moss; 2nd, Mrs. Allen; 3rd, Mrs. Woods.
Gents:—1st, Mr. Sherson; 2nd, Mr. Cunningham; 3rd, Mr. Williams.

Ladies top score first half, Mrs. Clarke.
It is understood that the next whist-drive will be held on June 27, tickets for which may be obtained from the Y.M.C.A. as well as sources of supply provided outside for the greater convenience of Service men.

CASE WITHDRAWN.

Alleged Assault on Chinese.

Mr. W. Tansley, of the staff of Messrs. Reiss, Massey & Co., Ltd., appeared before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning, summoned for an assault on a Chinese employee of the same firm.

Defendant admitted the offence, explaining that the complainant had been unruly for some time. On June 4, he came to work ten minutes late, and when scolded for it and for previous work that he had not done properly, the foki retorted with 'shut up' very loudly. 'The next day he said the same thing and I could not help myself,' he added.

On complainant's own intimation and willingness, the case was withdrawn.
Defendant stated that he had already paid complainant's doctor's bill.

ROOF COLLAPSE.

Contractor Fined \$100.

A recent collapse of a roof at 24 Grahame Street had its sequel in the Central Police Court this morning, when Lee Sing, the contractor, was summoned before Mr. Schofield, at the instigation of Mr. A. Brooks-bank, of the P.W.D.

Mr. Brooks-bank stated that the roof was defective. A pile of bricks had been placed on a certain portion which subsequently collapsed, but fortunately nobody was hurt. 'We take a very serious view of the matter as it might have been a case of loss of life,' he said.
A fine of \$100 was imposed.

SHARE MARKET.

The official summary issued by the Stock Exchange to-day states:—
Except that there were enquiries for some investment issues, such as Trams, Star Ferries, Lands &c., there was no noticeable change in markets generally at this morning's session.

Sales.	
Union Insurance, \$445.	
Raub, \$32½ ex. Div.	
Venz: Goldfields, \$1½.	
Hotels (Cum. Rights), \$11.60.	
Hotels (Rights), \$1.15.	
Ewo Cottons, Tia, 18½.	
Hong Kong Trams, \$22.60.	
Cements (Combined), \$18.10.	
Lane, Crawford, \$6.	
Buyers.	
Canton Insurance, \$1,200.	
China Fire Insurance, \$600.	
Douglases, \$27.	
H.K. & W. Docks, \$18.	
Hotels (Rights), \$1.	
Hong Kong Lands, \$77.	
Hong Kong Realities, \$11.85.	
Hong Kong Trams, \$22½.	
Star Ferries, \$30.	
Yau-mat Ferries (Old), \$38¼.	
Yau-mat Ferries (New), \$32.	
Hong Kong Electric, \$73½.	
Macao Electric, \$24.	
Canton Iron, \$8.	
Dairy Farms, \$28.	
Sinceres, \$16½.	
Constructions (Old), \$6.	
Constructions (New), \$1½.	
H.K. Government Loans, 2½% Premium.	
Sellers.	
South China Motors 'B', \$11.	
Providenta (Old), \$52½.	

An order that the defective walls at 58½, Queens Road West be altered within 48 hours, was made by Mr. W. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning against the manager of the Fat Hing Land Investment Co. Ltd. on the application of Mr. H. J. East of the P.W.D. who prosecuted.



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TAIYO MARU	Tuesday	21st June.
ASAMA MARU	Wednesday	13th July.
SEATTLE, VANCOUVER via Shanghai & Japan Ports.		
HEIAN MARU	Sunday	8th July.
HIKAWA MARU	Tuesday	2nd August.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.		
TERUKUNI MARU	Friday	24th June.
HAKUSAN MARU	Saturday	9th July.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.		
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	25th June.
KAMO MARU	Saturday	23rd July.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
BENGAL MARU	Wednesday	20th June.
TANGO MARU	Monday	11th July.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.		
BOKUYO MARU	Thursday	7th July.
NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.		
LIVERPOOL via Saigon, Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa, Marseilles & Valencia.		
DURBAN MARU	Friday	15th July.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
PENANG MARU	Wednesday	29th June.
HAKODATE MARU	Thursday	7th July.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.		
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RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban & Capetown.	La Plata Maru	Tues.	14th June
BOMBAY, ZANZIBAR, DAR-ES-SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH & CAPE TOWN THENCE TO RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES via Singapore & Colombo.	Hawaii Maru	Wed.	6th July
MELBOURNE via Brisbane & Sydney.	Brisbane Maru	Tues.	5th July
JAPAN PORTS (Frequent Services).	Himalaya Maru	Sat.	18th June
LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP via Singapore, Colombo, Suez & Port Said.	Paris Maru	Thurs.	7th July
NEW YORK via Japan ports, Los Angeles & Panama City Direct at Boston, Philadelphia & Baltimore.	Kwantu Maru	Sat.	2nd July
BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan Deli & Colombo.	Argun Maru	Sun.	19th June
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.	Hamburg Maru	Mon.	20th June
KEELUNG via Swatow & Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).	Canton Maru	Sun.	19th June
JAPAN PORTS via Takao & Keelung.	Hozan Maru	Sun.	26th June
YAKAO via Swatow & Amoy (Noon).	Deli Maru	Thurs.	16th June

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Steamer	Leaves Hong Kong	Arrives Wuchow	Leaves Wuchow	Arrives Hong Kong
TAI HING	FRI. 17th	SUN. 19th	MON. 20th	TUES. 21st
TAI MING	SUN. 19th	TUES. 21st	WED. 22nd	THURS. 23rd
TAI HING	WED. 22nd	FRI. 24th	SAT. 25th	SUN. 26th
TAI MING	FRI. 24th	SUN. 26th	MON. 27th	TUES. 28th
TAI HING	MON. 27th	WED. 29th	THURS. 30th	FRI. 1st
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Consignees of cargo ex s.s. Bencruachan are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after June 17.



Shipping Puzzles

The Problem of Initial Letters

Abbreviations Often Ambiguous

What is the meaning of such letters as "Q.T.E.V.", "T.S.", and "Q.T.S.S." which precede the names of ships? So varied are the methods of propelling ships nowadays that nothing but confusion seems to arise from the attempt to compress the specification of a ship's propelling machinery into the initial letters that precede her name. This subject was dealt with in a recent article in The Glasgow Herald, and the writer pointed out that before the era of the marine internal combustion engine the most common letters preceding the name of a ship were "S.S." These letters are still widely used, and can signify almost anything from an old-fashioned sailing ship to the most modern liners. For examples, "S.S." can quite well mean sailing ship, steel ship, steamship (paddle or screw), screw ship, which could be used in connection with anything from a single-screw tramp driven by the most antiquated reciprocating steam engine to the most modern craft driven by single or multiple screws actuated by any one of a wide variety of propelling systems.

So much for "S.S." What about "T.S."? That could mean twin-screw, triple-screw, turbine steamer, tank ship, and a variety of other things, including "training ship."

The most amusing aspect of this subject is in connection with marine internal combustion engines. The writer finds that as a rule owners of a ship propelled by Diesel engines describe such a ship as an "M.V.", which means motor vessel, as distinguished from "S.S." meaning steamship. The writer knows of a case where a steamer described as an "a.s." was reconditioned her steam reciprocating machinery being replaced by Diesel engines, and she is now known as an "M.V." That has annoyed those shipbuilders who prefer the word ship to that of vessel.

Incidentally, it is only now that people generally are beginning to drop the word steamer when they mean motorship, but it will take a long time to remove the idea that "steamer" and "ship" are synonymous. Quite recently the writer saw a brochure illustrating "our fleet of Diesel-driven steamers," which is about as bad as the writer who described "the new motorship steaming gracefully down the river."

One of the latest attempts to tell a whole story by a few symbols are the letters "Q.T.E.V." which precede the name of one of the most notable ships built in this country last year. It has puzzled many people to know exactly what these letters mean.

They are supposed to represent "quadruple turbo-electric vessels"—that is to say, a ship driven by four screws actuated by turbo-electric machinery. This particular ship has four screws and only two sets of turbines, but the "Q" appearing in the initials could quite well suggest four sets of turbines, so that the "Q.T.E.V." does not convey very much to engineers and, so far as I can ascertain, to people in general it conveys nothing at all. It would seem, therefore, that in designating ships multiplicity of symbols merely results in confusion, and it would be more rational to retain the simple sequence—"S" for ship, "S.S." for steamship, and "M.S." for motorship.

Nothing is gained by attempting to give fuller particulars as to the character of the steam or Diesel engines, or whether the prime movers drive the shafts directly or indirectly through mechanical gearing or by electrical transmission. The experts can, of course, get full particulars of any ship by consulting the register books of the classification societies. So that no useful purpose is served by too many symbols which can mean anything and therefore nothing.

HARBOUR OFFICE.

Good Freight Figures Returned.

The Harbour Office Reports for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. yesterday gave a fair movement of vessels with a high tonnage. Freight rates were up to the mark, both the inwards and throughs reaching five figures. The total tonnage entered was 74,790.

There were 14 inward registries, of which six were British and 10 of four figures, while of the 15 throughs, eight were British and nine of four figures. Two vessels arrived in ballast.

Passengers entered during the period included 132 Europeans and 2,797 Asiatic deck, British vessels carrying 1,205 out of the total in all classes.

Details below:—

Nationality	Arr.	H'Kong Cargo Tons	Dep.	Through Cargo Tons
British . . .	9	8,418	6	13,024
American . .	1	980	-	1,513
German . . .	2	3,528	-	13,301
Norwegian . .	1	12,188	1	-
Danish . . .	1	2,000	-	-
Dutch	3	8,418	2	6,054
Japanese . . .	2	-	2	142
Chinese . . .	3	3,550	2	-
	22	34,062	13	34,024

SHIPPING IN HONG KONG.

2,000,000 Tons Increased in 1931.

MARINE COURT CASES DECREASE.

An increase in the shipping using the Port of Hong Kong, is reported in the 1931 annual report of the Harbour Master, the largest increase being in British River Steamers.

The increase in Foreign Going Shipping entering and clearing was 1,422,098 tons, and local shipping 537,311 tons. Junk trade also shows an increase in tonnage of almost half a million tons.

On December 31, 278 steam launches and 186 motor boats were employed in the harbour, 397 of this total being licensed for passenger conveyance.

During the year under review 40,334 seamen were engaged, and 39,432 discharged at the Mercantile Marine Office and on board ships, while 40 distressed seamen were admitted to the Sailors' Home and Boarding Houses.

A sum of \$956.14 was expended on behalf of the Board of Trade for the relief of distressed seamen.

In the Marine Magistrate's Court 743 cases were heard during 1931 as compared with 792 in 1930.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

The following were among the passengers arriving by the Dollar liner President Coolidge:—

Hon. Geo. E. Butte, the vice-Governor of the Philippine Islands who is returning to Manila after a trip to Japan.

Judge J. A. Ostrand, of the Philippine Island Supreme Court, returning from vacation; Mr. Luther G. Cousens, a director of the British American Tobacco Company (Shanghai), on a trip to Hong Kong;

Mr. J. B. Emmert, of the Standard Oil Company's Dutch East Indies branch. Returning from a trip to the U.S.;

Mr. Bryan Fox, executive engineer of the Standard Oil Company, Singapore, to where he is returning;

Mr. A. S. Gubbay, of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon and Company, returning from a business trip to Shanghai;

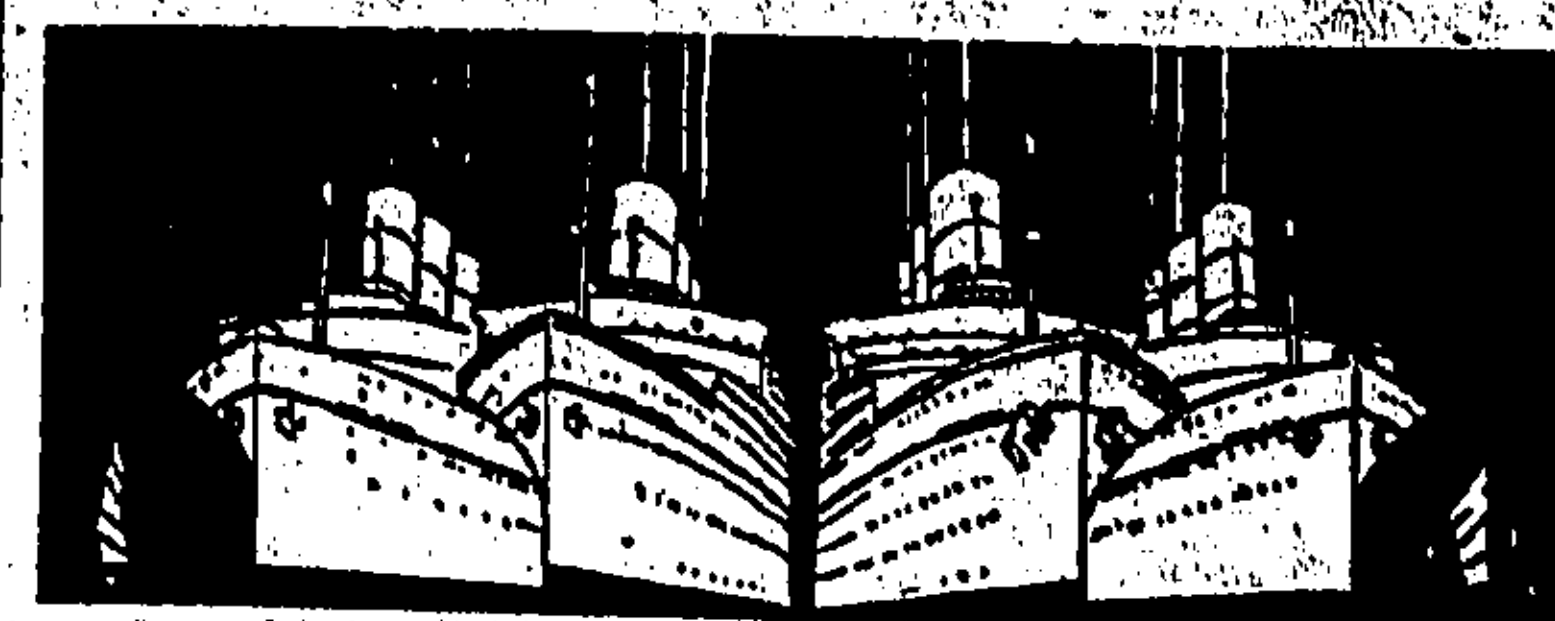
Mr. O. D. Terrell, prominent Shanghai merchant, on a business trip to Hong Kong;

Mr. M. A. Alzate, Commissioner of Prisons in the Philippine Islands, returning to Manila after spending a vacation with his wife in the States;

Mr. Chas. Feltman, prominent New York merchant on a business trip to Manila;

Mr. John Martin, marine engineer, formerly of Virginia, proceeding with his wife to Manila;

Mrs. L. Dunbar, wife of the prominent Hong Kong merchant returning from Shanghai.



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Emp. of Asia	July 15	July 18	July 19	July 21	July 23	Aug. 1
Emp. of Canada	July 29	Aug. 1	Aug. 3	Aug. 5	Aug. 11	Aug. 16
Emp. of Russia	Aug. 12	Aug. 15	Aug. 16	Aug. 18	Aug. 20	Sept. 2
Emp. of Japan	Aug. 28	Aug. 29	Aug. 31	Sept. 2	Sept. 8	Sept. 13
Emp. of Asia	Sept. 9	Sept. 12	Sept. 13	Sept. 15	Sept. 17	Sept. 24
Emp. of Canada	Sept. 23	Sept. 26	Sept. 28	Sept. 30	Oct. 6	Oct. 11
Emp. of Russia	Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 15	Oct. 24
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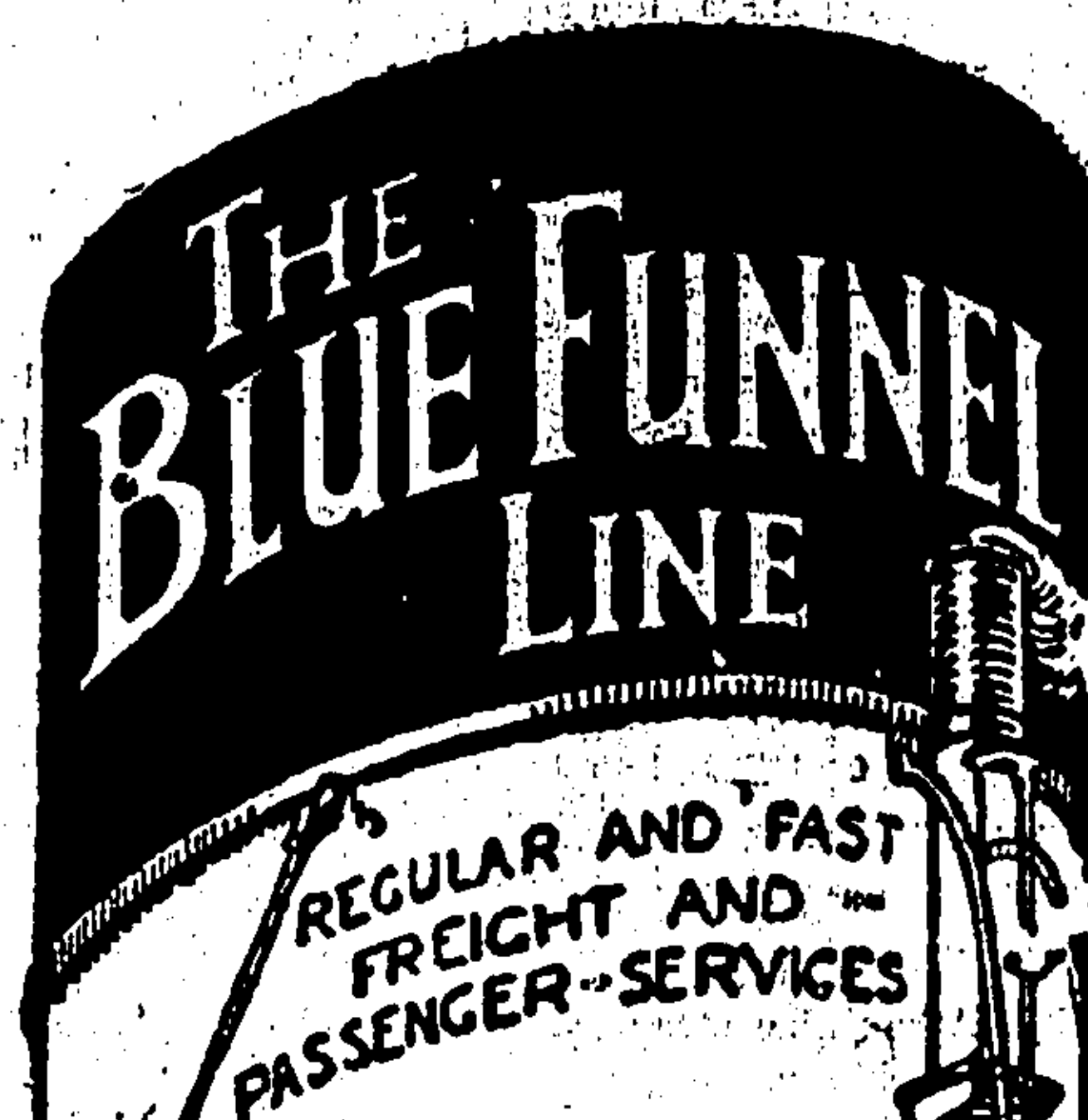
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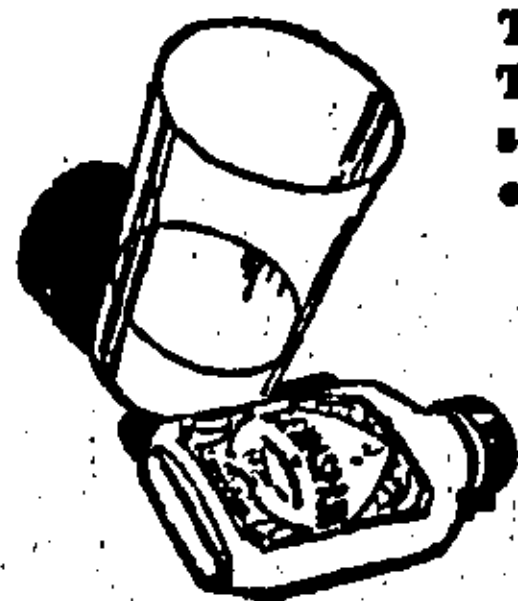
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Linked with Malaria?

THREE FACTORS NOTICED IN THE DISEASE.

Investigations into the cause of blackwater fever and the progress made in tackling the disease, are reviewed in the annual report of the Tropical School of Medicine, India, which has just been issued. Lt.-Col. Acton, Director of the School, says in the report that blackwater fever exacts a very peculiar toll in that it selects a population which is the most highly paid such as Europeans, Bengalis and the skilled labour such as Chinese and Pathans.

Causation. There have been, he says, various theories about the causation of the disease, and its close association with malaria has always been noticed by most observers. There are various theories advanced about this relationship. Some think it is a manifestation of malaria when the infective rate is very high and large doses of the parasites are inoculated by the mosquito. This factor, although very important, does not explain why blackwater fever does not occur in the Punjab during epidemic years. Other observers have considered that quinine, or one of its by-products, plays some part in the production of this disease. Against this view is the fact that many cases of blackwater fever have never taken any quinine and yet get the disease. Finally some have thought that the parasites causing blackwater fever were either a special type of the Plasmodium malariae or that the disease was due to some ultramicroscopic virus.

Hitherto no plausible theory could be put forward to fit all the aetiological facts. During the vacation holidays I have, says Col. Acton, purposely visited many places in India where blackwater fever was known to occur, to see if I could find any clue. What I noticed was that there were three factors always associated with this disease. It is a well-known fact that there are certain houses where blackwater fever occurs amongst the inhabitants from time to time. In looking into the question of these houses one was struck by these three facts.

(1) That the inhabitants were always the better class, i.e., the skilled population consisting of Europeans, Bengalis and Chinese.

(2) Close by was an upland surface stream which formed a very suitable breeding place for the Anopheles of the funestus group.

(3) Lastly on the windward side there were huts or bashes within a quarter of a mile radius containing an aboriginal population such as the Santals, Mundas, Koes, Hos, Nagas and others.

The Carrier?

These people, although they suffer from malaria, yet never suffer from blackwater fever. At first I was rather sceptical about this point, as I thought perhaps these aborigines being so suspicious about western medical treatment may refuse to come into hospital and thus the disease would not be known. I inquired very carefully about this point from various medical officers, and they were positive they had never seen blackwater fever amongst this community. So that these three factors are present:

(1) An aboriginal population living within a quarter of a mile radius.

(2) A civilized non-immune population.

(3) A carrying anopheles of the funestus group.

The parasitic theory that only one species of the malarial parasite, i.e., the Plasmodium falciparum, is the cause of blackwater fever is not tenable, because in other parts of the globe, blackwater fever may occur with benign tertian parasite infections.

"TOLL OF JUNGLE"

Tigers, leopards, snakes, foxes and wild pigs have been responsible for 2,619 deaths in the Central Provinces during 1931, according to an official.

The heaviest toll as recorded in the statistics quoted was exacted by snakes, to whom no fewer than 1,228 persons fell victims, while tigers and leopards claimed 203 victims.

DESERT POOLS OF LILIES.

Kalahari's Parks and Bird Residents.

"LAKE" OF SAND.

That the famous Kalahari Desert is not a desert at all was the declaration made by Dr. Hubert Lang, of the Vernay-Lang Kalahari expedition, in a lecture at Johannesburg recently to the South African Geographical Society.

The expedition, said Dr. Lang, discovered that there were no great sandy expanses, nor was the country bare of all vegetation.

In fact, the lecturer pointed out, with the aid of lantern slides, that there were parts in the so-called desert where vegetation rivalled that of many tropical countries.

There were many park-like landscapes and pools in which beautiful lilies grew in abundance.

Dealing with Lake Ngami, Dr. Lang said it was no lake, it never was, and never would be—it was a huge basin filled with wind-blown sand.

Ants Move the Sand

Following an extraordinary flood, the basin might become inundated by the Okavango River system, and he thought this is what had happened at the time when it was discovered.

Dr. Lang said that an enormous amount of sand was moved by ants in small particles, which must mount to thousands of tons a year. The work of the ants contributed towards the aeration of the ground by increasing its porosity and the absorption of rain.

All animals and reptiles trekked across the Kalahari at night only.

The difficulties of travel, Dr. Lang said, could be gathered from the fact that on one occasion, in heavy sand, the advance guard of the expedition worked for twelve hours to make five miles, and Heslan cloth and wire netting had to be placed under the wheels of the lorries to make travel possible.

There were many kinds of birds in the Kalahari. The expedition had collected altogether 333 different species.

COAL MAGIC.

The Prince Opens a £1,000,000 Plant.

The Prince of Wales showed once again his intense interest in industry when he opened the Gas Light and Coke Company's £1,000,000 plant at Beckton, where coal is made to yield a hundred and one by-products, from benzole spirit to moth balls.

He saw coke emerge from the ovens, operated a ram machine weighing one hundred tons, watched loading cranes on the quays, and won the critical workmen by his personal curiosity to "see how things worked."

He climbed on platforms sixty feet and 100 feet high, walked over ovens containing coke heated to 1,400 degrees centigrade, disdaining the clogs supplied him for the purpose and made a tour of the sixty-six miles of full gauge railway, which is the main artery of the immense works.

Seventeen ships feed the great ovens continuously with coal from Northumberland and Durham. The machinery inaugurated by the Prince will alone produce every day fifteen million cubic feet of gas, five tons of sulphur, 8,000 gallons of benzole, and 12,000 gallons of tar.

Not a particle of coal is wasted and not so much as a puff of smoke escapes from the great chimneys.

RED TAPE

Mr. Joseph Hart, the Superintendent of the House of Commons cloakroom, who has just retired, in interview said:

"Every M.P. has a peg in the cloakroom with his name on it, and thousands of people have said to me: 'Why is there a piece of red tape hanging from each peg?' I tell them that there is no such thing as red tape in the House of Commons."

One person was even killed by a snake in the House of Commons, but it was not a cobra, as some people think, but a common snake.

HONG KONG MARKET PRODUCE.

APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES

June 8, June, June, 1932. 1931. 1914.				June 8, June, June, 1932. 1931. 1914.			
Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Butcher Meat.				Poultry.			
Beef Sirloin	牛尾肥	lb.	34 24 13	Chicken	雞	lb.	64 80 31
" Prime Cut	牛尾瘦	lb.	30 23 11	Capons, Small	雞	lb.	64 28 30
" Corned	咸牛肉	lb.	40 23 13	Capons, Large	雞	lb.	68 28 30
" Roast	燒牛肉	lb.	34 24 23	Duck	鴨	lb.	50 22 21
" Breast	牛腩	lb.	32 20 18	Eggs, Hen (cooking)	蛋	each	23 21
" Soup	牛腩湯	lb.	23 20 18	Eggs, Hen (fresh)	新鮮雞蛋	each	36 18
" Steak	牛腩	lb.	34 24 23	Fowls, Canton	本地雞	lb.	76 86 24
" Steak Sirloin	牛腩	lb.	46 30 35	Fowls, Hainan	海南雞	lb.	60 85 24
" Sausages	臘腸	lb.	36 24 20	Geese	鴨	lb.	45 24 24
Bullock's Brains	牛腦	per set	17 10 13	Pigeons, Canton	白鴿	each	48 80
" Tongue, fresh	牛舌	each	80 60 60	" Hollow	白鴿	each	40 29
" Tongue, corned	牛舌	each	1.00 60	Turkeys, Cock	火雞	lb.	75
" Head	牛頭	lb.	24 18 14	Turkeys, Hen	火雞	lb.	70 61 48
" Heart	牛心	lb.	20 18	Snipe	沙	each	80
" Hump, Salt	牛心	each	12 10 12	Pheasant	山	pair	2.70
" Feet	牛心	lb.	15 10 13	Quail	鴉	each	—
" Kidneys	牛心	lb.	27 20 23	Partridges	鴉	each	—
" Tail	牛心	lb.	26 13 14	Fruits.			
" Liver	牛心	lb.	8 6 7	Almonds	杏仁	lb.	1.20 35
" Tripe	牛心	set	1.50 1.00 1.00	Apples (California)	金山蘋果	lb.	28 26
Calves' Head & Feet	牛頭	lb.	60 26	Bananas (bride's)	金山香蕉	lb.	9 4
Mutton Chop	羊排	lb.	60 26	Carambola	楊桃	lb.	12
" Leg	羊排	lb.	60 24	Coconuts	椰子	each	14 10 10
" Shoulder	羊排	lb.	60 24	Lemons, China	檸檬	lb.	16 25 30
" Saddle	羊排	lb.	60 27	Lemons (American)	金山檸檬	each	13 8
Pig's Chlings	豬排	Per set	4 2	Lichees, Dried	荔枝干	lb.	1.00 25 80
" Brains	豬排	lb.	18 15	Oranges (Canton)	新會橙	lb.	40
" Feet	豬排	lb.	80 15 18	Oranges	橙	lb.	30 15
" Fry	豬排	lb.	20 20	Pears (Canton)	沙梨	lb.	35
" Heart	豬排	lb.	14 10 3	Peanuts	花生	lb.	14 10 12
" Kidneys	豬排	lb.	50 30 24	Perseimmons, Large	紅柿	lb.	12
" Liver	豬排	lb.	36 25 23	Plaintain	大蕉	lb.	5 8
Pork Chop	豬排	lb.	38	Pumpkin, Siam	暹羅柚	each	36 12 6
" Leg	豬排	lb.	42 60 70	Walnuts	胡桃	lb.	30 10
" Loin	豬排	lb.	22 21	Grapes	提子	lb.	70
" Fat or Lard	豬排	lb.	22 21	Vegetables, Etc.			
Sheep's Head & Feet	羊頭	Per set	90 60 70	Artichokes	菊	each	— 2
" Heart	羊頭	each	12 8 7	Beans, Sprout	豆	lb.	6 7
" Kidneys	羊頭	lb.	15 12 10	" Long	豆	lb.	12 8
" Liver	羊頭	lb.	45 26 25	Beet Root	紅頭	lb.	10
Sucking Pigs to order	豬仔	lb.	34 20 18	Bitter Squash	苦	lb.	8 24
Suet, Beef	豬仔	lb.	55 26 25	Brinjals, Green	青	lb.	8 5 3
" Mutton	豬仔	lb.	45 20 20	" Red	紅	lb.	6 5 3
" Sausages	豬仔	lb.	38	Cabbage, Chinese	芥	lb.	14
Fish.				(Shanghai)	芥	lb.	18 12
Barbel	鰱魚	lb.	50 16 24	Cane Shoots, bunch	蔗	each	—
Bream	鰱魚	lb.	38 20 16	Caiflower (Large)	大花椰	each	—
Canton Fresh Water	淡水魚	lb.	38	" (Medium)	中花椰	each	—
Carp	魚	lb.	40 13 16	" (Small)	小花椰	each	—
Catfish	魚	lb.	35 16 27	Carrots	金	lb.	6 5 6
Codfish	魚	lb.	38 12 9	Celery, Chinese	美	lb.	10 6
Crabs	蟹	lb.	60 16 24	Chillies, Dried	紅	lb.	18 25 5
Cuttle Fish	魚	lb.	28 23 26	" Red	紅	lb.	24 10 10
Dab	魚	lb.	26 16 27	" Green	青	lb.	6 8 12
Dace	魚	lb.	62 26 16	Curry Stuff, English	菜	lb.	10 8
Dog Fish	魚	lb.	22 10	Cucumbers	瓜	lb.	6 2
Eels, Conger	魚	lb.	72 10 8	Garlic	蒜	lb.	6 6
" Fresh Water	魚	lb.	50 10 8	Ginger, Young	子	lb.	10 7
" Yellow	魚	lb.	80 26 30	" Old	老	lb.	8 20
Frogs	魚	lb.	95 32 25	Horsradish, Shanghai	菜	lb.	60 8 4
Garoupa	魚	lb.	24 40 30	Indian Corn	菜	lb.	8 45
Gudgeon	魚	lb.	30 22 18	Lettuce	菜	lb.	6 1
Herrings	魚	lb.	36 13 23	Water Chestnuts	菜	lb.	12
Halibut	魚	lb.	42 18 15	" Mandarin	菜	lb.	14
Labrus	魚	lb.	84 22 13	Mushrooms, Fresh	菜	lb.	60
Loach	魚	lb.	70 62 34	Okras	菜	lb.	18 1 10
Lobsters	魚	lb.	45 32 21	Onions, Bombay	菜	lb.	10 8 8
Mackerel	魚	lb.	46 20 20	" Green	菜	lb.	6 4 6
Monk Fish	魚	lb.	42 13 2	Parley	菜	lb.	35 60 8
Mullet	魚	lb.	48 12 2	Potato, Sweet	菜	lb.	5 8
Oysters	魚	lb.	38 14 9	" Japanese	菜	lb.	3
Parrot Fish	魚	lb.	38 80 15	" American	菜	lb.	3
Perch	魚	lb.	45 15 9	Pumpkin	菜	lb.	5 4 4
Pike	魚	lb.	52 35 29	Radish	菜	lb.	30 10
Plaice	魚	lb.	58 33 30	Rhubarb (Fresh)	菜	lb.	8 8
Pomfret, White	魚	lb.	40 36 45	Shallots	菜	lb.	6 8
Pomfret, Black	魚	lb.	40 36 45	Spinach	菜	lb.	12 4
Prawns	魚	lb.	90 10 14	Taro	菜	lb.	8 6
Ray	魚	lb.	24 10 14	Turnips, Patti (Long)	菜	lb.	8 4
Rock Fish	魚	lb.	28 13 18	Vegetable Marrow	菜	lb.	6 4
Roach	魚	lb.	36 22 10	Water, Cross	菜	lb.	15 15
Salmou	魚	lb.	55 36 30	Water Lily Root	菜	lb.	6 15
Shark	魚	lb.	20 8 10				
Shrimp	魚	lb.	20 10 10				
Snapper	魚	lb.	68 33 30				
Soles	魚	lb.	48 22 28				
Tench	魚	lb.	40 20 38				
Turbot	魚	lb.	38 12 12				
Turtles, small to water	魚	lb.	1.10 12 12				

UNOFFICIAL CENSORS OF "SEXY" FILMS.

Penang Cinema-Goers Society Proposed.

Penang, May 28.—The formation of a Penang Cinema-Goers Association to act as unofficial censors of the "over-sexy" films shown at the local cinemas was advocated by Mr. M. Saravanyan, in the address to the Hu Kew Seah, Debating Society, yesterday evening on "The Uses and Abuses of the Cinema." Dr. Cheah Cheng Poh presided and there was a full attendance.

It did not merely consist in provoking ideas, and loose ideals. If our laughter, gentle play in the emotions caused by tender love episodes and the satisfaction of the senses by lively dances, lovely songs and melodious music were means whereby the talkies provided recreation to their patrons. He referred to the big contribution of Charlie Chaplin to the screen comedies and characterized them as the greatest individual artist the screen had ever produced. He also referred to the sentimental production of "Janet" Gaynor and Charles Farrell, the musical shows like "King of Jans,"

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**UNQUALIFIED
DENTISTS
IN COLONY.**
Government Take
Action.
UNSUCCESSFUL OPERATIONS
WITH SERIOUS RESULTS.
Sailor's Death.

Acting on instructions to the Inspector General of Police from the local Government, in regard to serious cases resulting from operations performed by unqualified dental surgeons, Inspector John Murphy, in the Central Police Court this morning, before Mr. Schofield, summoned two Chinese, Mak Kai-ming, of 10 Queen's Road Central, and Kwan Chut-wah, of 39 Queen's Road Central, for unlawfully holding themselves out as dentists by private advertisement.

Both defendants pleaded guilty, and were fined \$200 each.

Inspector Murphy said that the prosecutions were taken out with the concurrence of the Government, who had received complaints that these "so-called" dentists were performing operations very unsuccessfully with, in some cases, very serious results. The I.G.P. was instructed to take action.

Not A Dentist.

He pointed out that any person, whose name does not appear in the Government Gazette, is not a dentist. The defendant, Mak Kai-ming had been in practice for a considerable length of time, and it was public knowledge that he held himself out as a dentist. The average man-in-the-street did not know whether he was qualified or not.

Serious Case.

His Worship regarded the case as very serious, as the advertisement was very misleading, and serious damage could be done.

In connection with the summons against Kwan Chut-wah, Insp. Murphy said that defendant had a card bearing the name of "James Mac, Dentist." Mac was at present in the country. The business was large and had many European and Chinese clients attending. The Law Officers of the Crown were consulted before and after the issuing of the summonses.

Special Complaint.

Insp. Murphy added that special complaint had been made to the Government about certain operations that had been carried out, resulting in the patients being sent to hospital seriously ill.

His Worship remarked that there no previous case of this nature in the Colony for a number of years.

Sailor's Death.

Insp. Murphy replied that there was one case in particular where a sailor went to 39 Queen's Road Central to have a tooth either capped or filled. His mouth subsequently became septic, and the ship's surgeon decided to extract the tooth. This was done. The man later incurred septic tonsillitis, and was sent to hospital where he died. As it was difficult to prove whether the filling of the tooth of the extraction caused death, no charge of manslaughter was made.

Mr. A. el Arculli appeared for the defence, and entered a plea in mitigation of the offence.

**KENT TRAGEDY
AFTERMATH.**
Soldier Charged with
Murder.
PRIVATE COLLINS OF
SHORNCIFFE.
Police Effect Capture
After Gun Fight.

London, To-day.

James Thomas Collins, described as a Private serving in a Regiment stationed at Shorncliffe, near Folkestone, has been charged with the wilful triple murder at Ashford.

Thrilling Capture.

London, Yesterday.

After a thrilling pursuit, and an exchange of revolver shots, police early this morning apprehended a man on suspicion of having been implicated in the murder of three women near Ashford, Kent.

Numerous armed police carried out a very extensive combing of the Barnet Woods in the vicinity throughout Monday afternoon, with the assistance of bloodhounds. After nightfall the search was carried on with the aid of torch-lights, but without result.

Soon after daybreak however, a policeman saw a man carrying a gun. As the constable approached the man made off, and a tense pursuit followed, several shots allegedly being exchanged.

Finally covering the fugitive with his revolver, the constable succeeded in engaging his quarry's attention, while another constable crept up behind him, and felled the man.

Gruesome Finds.

The murders were discovered by a bus conductor who found a woman's body protruding from the undergrowth in Kingswood, a popular week-end picnic spot near Ashford, Kent. This started a chain of gruesome finds within a few hundred yards of one another. The bodies of an elderly woman, another woman and a girl were roughly concealed in the broken brushwood and many hours elapsed before the bodies were identified as those of grandmother, mother and daughter, of Mrs. Janie Swift, sixty-five years old of Ye Olde Sportsman's Inn near Whitstable, Mrs. Jennie Stemp, thirty-five years old and Peggy Stemp, thirteen years old.

All had been shot. Bloodhounds immediately began to scour the district.—Reuter.

**PRINCESS BEATRICE'S
EYE OPERATION.**
Proves Successful

London, Yesterday.

The Preliminary operation for the extraction of a cataract was to-day successfully performed upon Princess Beatrice's right eye. Princess Beatrice, who is 75 years old, is the King's aunt, and the mother of the ex-Queen of Spain.—British Wireless Service.

**LITERARY OF THE
CHINESE.**
1,072 Schools In
Hong Kong.
DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION'S
REPORT.

The Director of Education's Report for 1931 has been published, and reveals interesting figures.

At the end of the year there were 28 European masters on the establishment, three posts having been left unfilled for reasons of economy. At the end of the year there were 27 European mistresses on the staff.

The following figures which are of educational interest are quoted from the report on the census taken on the night of March 7, 1931.

Chinese 821,429
Non-Chinese 28,322
Total population 849,751

Of the Chinese population 44 per cent. claim ability to write and read their mother tongue. If only persons of sixteen years of age and over are taken into account, the figure rises to 52 per cent.

Of the non-Chinese population approximately 90 per cent. were literate: in the case of children under eleven the figure drops to 87 per cent.

Of the Chinese population 6 per cent. claim ability to speak English and 5 per cent. to read and write in that language.

The Superintendent of Census, however, warns us:—"There is of course a strong temptation to claim attainments which one does not possess, or possesses only in a very small degree. The figures are likely, therefore, to err by giving too favourable an impression of educational attainments, and this error is made from time to time. For this reason comparison with previous censuses is of uncertain value, and is also difficult on account of the different method for presentation of the results adopted in 1921."

According to the Census report there are 119,000 children between the age of five and fourteen distributed as under:—

Hong Kong & Kowloon . 88,481
New Territory 17,940
Afloat 12,587

Total 119,008

There were 1,072 schools in 1931 and the number of pupils in attendance was 68,598 as compared with 62,297 in 1930.

Of the 1,069 schools controlled by the Education Department in 1931, twenty were provided schools. The cost of their equipment and maintenance is a charge on the colonial revenues and, except for a few temporary appointments, the teachers are civil servants on the permanent establishment of the colony.

Of the 1,049 unprovided schools 812 are partly dependent on assistance from public funds. The remaining 787 unprovided schools are subject to registration and inspection by the Education Department but receive no financial assistance from funds at the disposal of the Director of Education.

There are three uncontrolled schools.

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